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TURKS ORDER ALLIED WARSHIPS OUT OF SMYRNA

SHORT STORIES

Facts With Frills, Facetious and Otherwise. By "S. S."

Frosty.

Take down the curtains.

Chief Word sauntered down the lane this afternoon.

E. J. Howell has returned after a brief stay in Waco.

"Let 'em all run; the more the merrier."—B. J. Wade.

DAILY SHIP SCORE: In Port Arthur, 9; at Beaumont, 4.

City Clerk E. H. Miles predicts a building boom for Port Arthur.

Austin-Procter corner club hugged the sunny side of their open air stadium today.

City Tax Collector Lemax has gone to work again trying to take care of the water and light payment que, pot Cane.

Who in Port Arthur has a son, brother or relative coming home from the last watch on the Rhine? Tell S. S.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Edwards of 1219 Seventh street are the parents of a seven and a half pound boy born Tuesday.

Japanese steamship, Yuri Maru, wirelessed she'll reach Sabine docks Thursday at noon to load cargo of sulphur for France.

Scouts of Troop 6 will have a valentine party at the Knights of Columbus hall, Friday night at 7:30, it was announced today.

Port Arthur's so prosperous even the kiddies're passing up that $50 offer for a few words from which a city slogan may be selected.

Watching a negro skinning cattle killed by the recent freeze furnished a thrill for motorists on the Port Arthur-Beaumont highway in the vicinity of Blands' bend Tuesday.

The hanging of a 14-inch icicle in in front of the Hodges store, as announced by Dan Russell, does not indicate the atmosphere inside the store says J. R. Denny, manager.

Bee Cowen, city sleuth, says the next place to be raided is Quien Sabe, wherever that is. After he had come back from a jaunt yesterday he was asked where he is going next. "Quien Sabe," was Bee's curt reply.

"Your Port Arthur boosts telling the world you have the nation's third largest port and the world's largest oil refining center makes interesting listening, like four programs," post cards a Minnesota radio bug to Frank Stoneburner, who twice a week sends out radio concerts from his station, WFAH.

After listening for ten or fifteen hours at three a. m. this morning at a burglar stealing all the silverware, turning over the dining table, kitchen cabinet, knocking down doors, breaking windows, tearing down the chimney, etc., S. S. donned his bathrobe and bed room slippers, loaded the automatic shotgun and, grabbing a broom, found a cat on the cistern.

TRY MOVIE MEN

Beaumont Defendants to Appear Tomorrow

Special to The News.

BEAUMONT, Feb. 7.—Movie fans tomorrow will jam their way into the commissioners' court chamber to hear the trial of all Beaumont theater operators, charged jointly with operating last Sunday in violation of the blue Sunday ban.

The trial was first set to be heard in the stuffy, little offices occupied by Justice of the Peace Reeves in the Alexander building.

But the voice of the people shouted forth.

Only a dozen spectators could crowd into the little room by the time the jury had been comfortably seated.

So the scene of the trial was today shifted to the commissioners court chamber in the court house, which is much larger. The defendants have demanded trial by jury. The trial is set for 2 o'clock.

FAIR; WARMER

Local Forecast: Tonight fair, warmer. Thursday increasing cloudiness; warmer.

For East Texas: Tonight fair; warmer. Thursday increasing cloudiness; warmer, except in northwest portion.

Winds on Texas Coast: Light to moderate easterly to southerly.

Maximum temperature, 47; minimum temperature, 34; precipitation, 0.00.

Year ago today—Maximum temperature, 58, minimum temperature, 36.

Sunset this evening 5:58

Sunrise tomorrow 7:02.

Tide Record

Time of high and low water at Sabine Pass Light under normal conditions on Thursday, Feb. 8; taken from tables prepared by the U. S. Geodetic Survey:

High Tides ... 9:28 a. m. 9:34 p. m.
Low Tides ... 3:16 a. m. 2:58 p. m.

INCOME TAX BILL CAUSES CONCERN

Banker Voices Objection as Individual

EQUALIZATION FAULTY

All Ports of Texas Could Not Get Equal Treatment

Port Arthur is going to declare itself on the state income tax bill.

President H. F. Banker of the Chamber of Commerce and Shipping has submitted the proposition to members of the board of directors, to larger tax-payers and to civic organizations for an expression.

"Personally, I am against the bill, but I do not want to appear as speaking for the Chamber of Commerce before members have expressed themselves," he said.

Urges Letters to Solons

Mr. Banker also recommended that all Port Arthurians take up the consideration of the bill and give it serious thought in order that the representatives and senator from this county may learn from their constituents just how they stand on the measure. Mr. Banker suggested that it was the duty of the people to write these representatives.

The income tax bill, known as house bill No. 303, is now pending before the state legislature on the claim that the state needs additional revenue. It is pointed out, however, that there is no suggestion of securing that added revenue by equalizing the tax renditions of the state so that all parts of Texas will have equal treatment

$800 and Over Incomes

A large part of the state enjoys extremely low taxation due to low renditions of all property, while the industrial and banking interests of the state are taxed on high valuations.

It is now proposed to add to the burdens of the business and industrial public by assessing a state income tax—a tax that would hit every man who receives more than $800 per year total income of all kinds. The tax is proposed to be scaled at one per cent of incomes of $800 and gradually be increased to a rate of 10 per cent on the larger incomes.

PROTESTS FROM ALL SECTIONS OF STATE

AUSTIN, Feb 7—Hearing on the income tax which was begun last night before the house committee on revenue and taxation will be resumed tonight and may continue several nights before the committee reaches a decision.

Protests against the bill have come from every section of the state.

PT. ARTHUR MEN TO CROSS SANDS

Tyros to Be Inducted in Mysteries of Dokeydom

Port Arthur will send 20 or more tyros across the blistering sands of the deserts of Dokeydom at Beaumont Feb. 22, when a huge ceremonial, to be participated in by Dokeys from this entire district, will be held.

As well as the tyros, many others from Port Arthur will go to Beaumont to take part in the ceremonial.

The Port Arthur order of Dokeys will hold the annual anniversary meeting Feb. 19, when plans will be made to accompany the tyros to the Beaumont sacrifice; according to District Deputy Grand Chancellor J. A. Burnham.

At this meeting the Dokeys will hear a radio concert, under the auspices of Frank Stoneburner, who will connect with the Pythian home at Weatherford, Texas, and tune up to a concert by the Girls' Mandolin club of the Pythian home.

Pres. Edson of K. C. S. Inspects Property Here

President J. A. Edson, of the Kansas City Southern, motored down from Beaumont today to shake hands with some of the local officials of the railroad and look over the K. C. S. holdings here for a visual survey of conditions.

Edson was accompanied by G. P. Williams, assistant to the president, who has just returned from an extensive trip through the north, covering New York, Kansas City and other points.

Edson is a big stockholder in the E. L. Wilson Hardware company, Beaumont, and he is in this section to attend a meeting of the stockholders of this concern.

LAST OF RHINELAND UNITS SAIL FOR U. S.

BRENFRED, Feb. 7.—Fifty American officers and 100 enlisted men, leftovers of the last American army of occupation, sail for New York today.

WHEAT EXPORTS SET NEW RECORD

467,000 Bushels Exported In Two Cargoes

NEW PORTS INVADED

Names Constitute New Lesson in Geography

Port Arthr is jumping into a pace-setting stride in wheat exports as the new year gets under way.

Last month 467,000 bushels of wheat were exported in two cargoes.

This time last year there was a slump in wheat exports, with not a single shipment being made out of Port Arthur in January. The same is true of February, March and April. During the latter part of last year, however, business picked up and shipments totaled even a greater number of bushels than for the previous year.

Port Takes Running Start

With the start already made for 1923 it is not unexpected that Port Arthur will establish herself more in the wheat exportation business than heretofore.

The Jacques Cartier, carrying 227,733 bushels of wheat, sailed just after the last day of the month for Antwerp, according to research records compiled by Roy Stumn, general manager of the Chamber of Commerce and Shipping.

The British steamship King Edward sailed Jan. 12 with 61,000 bushels of wheat for Venice, 45,000 bushels for Ancona and 133,400 bushels for Bari, Italy.

Orange Imports Asphalt

The Sabine district skips into the spotlight again for January with a brand new importation. This is crude asphalt. The Barber company, which has been bringing in all their crude asphalt through Mobile, turned last month to Orange and imported 929 tons through that port from Brighton, Trinidad, the American schooner Hope Sherwood carrying the cargo.

Month by month shipping research files in the Chamber of Commerce and Shipping reveal new seas and ports invaded by ships leaving Port Arthur with all sorts of cargoes. During January Tampico continued to hold

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Harding Asks OK for Debt Plan

Mrs. Young Not Dark Horse in Contest for Port Arthur Mayoralty

Will a woman enter the mayoralty race in April?

Mrs. K. A. Young, member of the school board, was asked this question today.

"There seems to be a well defined rumor out that a woman will make the race," Mrs. Young was told.

"I haven't heard a thing about it."

"It's not you, is it, Mrs. Young?"

"Most certainly not. I'll do well to hold the little place that I have," came her reply.

C. A. REPUBLICS TO LIMIT ARMS

5 Nations Announce First International Pact

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—The five central American republics today set an example to the world in announcing the first international agreement for limitation of land armament.

In the halt of the America's of the Pan-American building, where some of the most important achievements for world peace have crowned with success, the peace conference of the central American republics brought to a close today its labors of the last two months.

Eleven conventions and three protocols, all designed firmly to establish peace and progress among the central American nations, were signed.

WAR NOW IS STARTED ON SUNDAY BASEBALL

BEAUMONT, Texas, Feb. 7.—Dr. J. M. Mills, pastor of the First Methodist church, today wired Representative B. E. Quinn protesting against the proposed amendment to the Sunday closing law which would exempt moving picture theaters and baseball games. It is intimated that Dr. Mills took this action on behalf of the Ministerial association.

WARNS AGAINST USE FOR BONUS

Says Report Should Commend Action

LAUDS BRITISH HONOR

Includes Emphatic Appeal For Ship Subsidy

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—Presenting the agreement for the repayment of the British debt to congress today, President Harding in a brief message characterized the settlement as "the first clearing of the war clouded skies in a debt burdened world."

The president asked congress to approve the settlement speedily.

Not For Bonus, Warns

He coupled with this a warning against spending the money to be paid by Great Britain for a soldier bonus or any other project, pointing out that the debt that is to be paid is already pledged to the repayment of investors in American liberty bonds. He also included a brief but emphatic appeal for the ship subsidy bill, declaring that it is as important to stop losses to the government as to collect obligations owed it. He frankly demanded a vote in the senate on the measure.

"I plead for a decision," said Mr. Harding.

"If no decision is given," he said, "the executive branch of the government may proceed as best it can to end the loss in liquidation and limitation."

Cancellation of the war debts "as a fancied but fallacious contribution toward peace!" was denounced by the executive.

Submits Commission's Report

The president started his message by submitting the report of the American debt funding commission on the British settlement outlining its terms.

The report, he said, contained everything necessary to commend the agreement to congressional sanction. He called attention to the fact that the

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Kemal's Troops Ready to Fight



These well-fed, well-armed and well-equipped fighters are infantrymen of Mustapha Kemal's reorganized Turkish army. They, with fresh levies just raised, are ready to fight out Turkey's claim to Mosul, if negotiations fail.

BRITAIN REPLIES BY DISPATCHING A DREADNAUGHT

Turk Order Sets Midnight As Time Limit

BREAK IS FINAL

British Consider New Parley Unlikely

CONSTANTINOPLE, Feb. 7.—Retired and active officers of the Turkish army under Mustapha Kemal have been ordered to register immediately.

The military commander announced all evaders would be punished.

LONDON, Feb. 7.—The Turkish government has issued an ultimatum ordering all allied warships over 1,000 tons to leave Smyrna harbor before midnight tonight, it was learned on the highest authority today.

In response to the ultimatum, Great Britain sent a warship of "considerably over 1,000 tons" to Smyrna, "to see what will happen."

In the meantime acting under orders from London, the British acting high commissioner Constantinople conferred with the Turkish representative at Constantinople, urging the Angora government to rescind the ultimatum.

Frowns on Ultimatum

The Angora government has given ample indication of desiring peace with Great Britain—but Britain is determined not to permit Turkey to issue any ultimatums, and any others will be met as was the present one.

The British cabinet this afternoon, for the third consecutive day, considered the situation created by the breakdown of the Lausanne conference, and considers it unlikely the conference will be resumed.

The British have not communicated with Ismet Pasha, as reported from Paris, but are awaiting the Turkish envoy's next move.

CONFIRMS DUNN AS POSTMASTER

Senate Takes Action on Nomination by Harding

S. I. Dunn today is absolutely certain of occupying the postmaster's chair at the post office, succeeding J. H. Washburne.

The senate late yesterday confirmed the nomination of Mr. Dunn, following President Harding's recommendation two weeks ago.

Mr. Dunn will not assume the title or take office for two weeks or possibly more. The nomination must be returned to the post office department, bond application made and executed. It is expected that the bond will be between $20,000 and $30,000. All of this will take two weeks for negotiations between the post office department at Washington and Mr. Dunn at Port Arthur.

TRAIN HITS FIRE TRUCK; 2 DEAD

Fireman Traps Truck on Right of Way

NEW YORK, Feb. 7.—Two firemen are dead and three are reported by physicians to be dying as the result of a collision between a Long Island express train and a fire truck while the latter was trapped on the railroad tracks by suddenly lowered crossing gates in Queen's last night.

Michael Hanley and John Dunn, the dead firemen, were killed instantly. Witnesses said that the truck received the crossing towerman's signal to go ahead after a local train passed, but that the gates were again lowered while the truck was on the tracks and the express sped into it at 50 miles an hour.

District Attorney Wallace ordered the arrest of Robert Brinkley, negro towerman, and Robert Rubin, gateman, on a charge of homicide.

8 Hurt When Street Car and Auto Crash

HOUSTON, Texas, Feb. 7.—Eight persons were today recovering from injuries received when a heavily loaded truck crashed into a small one-man street car late yesterday. All but one of the injured were occupants of the street car.

The accident was a most peculiar one. The truck hit the front end of the car, knocking it from the track. The rear end of the car swung around and crushed a hole in the side of the truck and the two locked together skidded over to the curb where the truck stopped.

3. CONVICTIONS FOR MURDER AFFIRMED

AUSTIN, Texas, Feb. 7.—The court of criminal appeals today affirmed the case of Charlie Keith, from Titus county, indicted for murder, charged with killing Stewart Keith, his son, and convicted of manslaughter with sentence of two years. The cases of B. L. Loyel, from Titus county, murder of J. N. Hale, 70 years of age, and sentenced to twenty-five years, and Earnest Pinson, from Shelby county, murderer of Mrs. Malissa Jones, October 30, 1920, and given twenty-five years, were also affirmed.

PROTEST INCREASE OF OIL PRODUCTION TAX

BEAUMONT, Texas, Feb. 7.—At a meeting of representative citizens held in the Chamber of Commerce yesterday, a strong protest against increasing the tax on gross production of oil was wired Senator R. B. Cousins. The citizens present also protested against the proposed law regulating and controlling the operation of employment agencies.

2 NEGROES HELD FOR SLAYING OF GROCER

DALLAS, Texas, Feb. 7.—Two negro youths are held in connection with the slaying of Alonzo McLendon, 74, grocer, in his store here. Both have been identified as having been entering and leaving the store near the time of the murder.

NEW CLUE OBTAINED IN TAYLOR MURDER

LOS ANGELES, Feb 7.—"Promising" new evidence has been obtained in the reopened investigation into the murder of William Desmond Taylor, officials announced today.

Department of justice agents sought to verify reports that Taylor had befriended the man who later shot him because of jealousy of Taylor's attention to a motion picture actress.

British Refuse to Permit Trains in Occupied Zones

LONDON, Feb. 7.—Britain this afternoon sent a note to France flatly declining to permit trains manned by French troops to traverse the British Rhineland zone, it was learned on highest authority.

The British note suggested such trains be diverted. The communication answers a French note asking what view the British would take of troop manned trains, in view of the strike of German rail workers.

SAYS MAGNOLIA CO. DRAINED OFFSET GAS

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—Charges that the Magnolia Petroleum company drained gas from offset wells in the midwest fields and controlled oil prices of its district were made before the senate committee investigating gasoline prices by Charles J. Wrightman, producer of Tulsa, Oklahomat.

IRISH REBELS DESTROY HISTORIC CASTLEBORO

DUBLIN, Feb. 7.—Continuing their campaign of arson against property of Free State sympathizers, Irish insurgents fired and destroyed Castleboro, Lord Care's historic residence near Enniscorthy.

Damage estimated at $500,000 was done.

WISTNER WORKING ON ORDINANCE TO ANNEX

City Attorney Wistner yesterday told the commission that he had begun work on the ordinance to annex the Model addition. The measure was supposed to come up for its first reading yesterday, but due to a rush of work in the attorney's office it was not completed.

IN CONGRESS TODAY

Senate:

Message from President Harding on British debt settlement.

Rivers and harbors appropriation fight.

Oil investigation continues.

House:

Considers several agricultural bills.

Appropriations committee considers deficiency funds.

Banking and currency committee holds hearings on Capper-McFadden farm credits bill.

Rules committee considers rule on modernization of navy.

FIRE AT FIRE STATION

LUBBOCK, Texas, Feb. 7.—Fires are very convenient here. One broke out in the first station, damaging furniture and clothing of a truck driver who lived on the second floor. Firemen who reached the scene in record time extinguished the blaze before it could gain headway.

Harry Logan, 6, Goes To Council Meet to Watch Dad at Work

Harry Logan, six-years old, yesterday shook hands with Commissioners Poteet, Wade and City Engineer Erwin and made himself acquainted and agreeable with the newspaper trio at commission meeting.

Harry is the son of Mayor Pink Logan.

He has heard his dad talk about the city hall business so long that yesterday he decided to find out for himself what it is all about. So he accompanied the mayor to commission meeting.

"They didn't do so much, did they?" Harry told the News reporter after the meeting.

It was admitted that the day was rather dull and Harry went along his way home with his father, after watching him preside over the destinies of the city.

ADDRESSES SENATE

AUSTIN, Texas, Feb. 7.—Former State Senator R. L. Carlock, of Fort Worth, responding to invitation, addressed the senate today. He declared that "the senate is the balance wheel of the legislative machinery of the state; it is the breakwater against the 'isms' that confront the public mind."

APPEAL DISMISSED

AUSTIN, Feb. 7.—Because the record was not in proper form the court of crimmal appeals today dismissed appeal in the case of Isanbaugh et al, from Limestone county, convicted of unlawfully exhibiting a dancing performance by women.

HADLEY TO HANG

Former Beaumonter Loses Appeal on Murder

PHOENIX, Arizona, Feb. 7.—Paul V. Hadley, former Beaumont man, must hang for the murder of Mrs. Anna C. Johnson, the supreme court ruled today.

Sentence will be carried out April 13.

The decision affirms judgment of the Pima county superior court which found Hadley guilty of murder in the first degree.

Mrs. Johnson was killed by shooting and her husband seriously wounded when they were attacked on the desert west of Tucson, while occupying the front seat of an automobile November 15, 1921. Hadley was in the rear seat.

Scout Banquet to Turn New Era in City Interest

Big Civic Get Together at Plaza Thursday Night to Be Preceded by All Troops in Martial Parade

Martial airs and other stirring notes by the High School band will strike off the spirit expected to dominate the Boy Scout banquet Thursday, 6:30 p. m., Plaza hotel. The band will head a procession of scouts down Procter street at 5 o'clock and with each scout glistening in his clean khaki, red bandanas hung gypsy fashion about his neck, the youths will tread as young soldiers to the rythm of old, old patriotic marches.

World Flags in Line

Flags of the world, or rather all nations represented by Scout organizations, will lend color to the parade. Added to these will be the troop flags, all combining for a glistening color scheme and impressive line of march. Every Scout in all of the 14 troops will join the parade.

All of this will precede the banquet, which is predicted to be the most enthusiastic Scout gathering ever held in Port Arthur. Every citizen of prominence will take part in the dinner, either as guests or speakers and all are backing the Scout movement here 100 per cent to the han.

Greeting the arrivals at the hotel at 6:30, the Scouts will have on dis-

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Mrs. Emma Alboth Dies at Nederland

Mrs. Emma Alboth, age 51, died at 4 a. m. today at her home near Nederland, after a brief illness. Mrs. Alboth was born in Germany, and had resided at Nederland for the past seven years.

Funeral services will be conducted Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock from Grammier's Funeral Chapel, Rev. F. W. Siebelitz, pastor of Trinity Lutheran church, officiating. Burial will be made in City Cemetery, under the direction of J. E. Grammier, undertaker.

Surviving the deceased are her husband, B. Alboth, and three daughters, Misses Elsie and Lottie, of Nederland, and Mrs. W. M. Laurenburg, of Port Arthur.

SHIPS COLLIDE, NO LIVES LOST

Freighter Sinking Off Golden Gate

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Feb. 7.—Scores of lives were endangered today when the liner Wilhelmina, carrying 100 passengers and the freighter Sierra collided at sea, seven miles off the Golden Gate entrance to San Francisco bay.

Advices at 9 a. m., five hours after the collision, described the Sierra as listing on her side at an angle of 45 degrees, waterlogged and helpless.

The Wilhelmina, first reported leaking badly but later found to be taking on a comparatively small amount of water, was standing by, while her passengers lined the rails watching the spectacle of a sea disaster.

Social Service Board To Convene Wednesday

The monthly meeting of the Social Service Council will be held on Wednesday evening, February 21, at the Plaza at 6:30 o'clock. On this occasion Dr. Arthur E. Holt of Boston, Mass., will speak to the Council. The meeting on February 21 will take the place of the meeting which was formerly announced to be held tomorrow night.

High Wages for City "Tools" by Contractor

Big things bring big prices. The city street roller for instance, is going to draw a wage of $10 per day when it is rented out to Smith Brothers, contractors, if a flat rate of so much a month is made, however, the price will be cut. Engineer Erwin told the commisioners yesterday.

Kruger and Hayner have been using the city's drag-line for several months, paying the city at the rate of $300 per month. For weeks it has been idle, but on the flat basis the contractors remitted, just the same, the $300 per month.

QUAKES IN ITALY

ROME, Feb. 7.—Violent earthquake shocks were recorded by the seismographs at Naples and Beneventa observatories today.

The shocks were declared to be about 700 and 300 kilometers, respectively, from the two places.

ALQUIN BOUND FOR FREEPORT

Radio Confirms Report of Killer's Deportation

GALVESTON, Texas, Feb. 7.—Definite confirmation of the report that "Arizona Phil" Alquin is on board the steamship Freeport No. 6 in the custody of two government agents, was received by the U. S. N. Radio station here shortly before noon today.

In answer to queries sent out from the local government station, replies came that Alquin was on board in the custody of Lee Manning, immigration officer, and another government agent whose name was not given.

The radiogram said the ship would dock at Freeport early tomorrow morning.

Chief of Police Stevenson left here early today for Freeport, where it was understood officers would charter a tug to meet the incoming boat.

3 DIE IN FIRE

El Paso Hotel Partially Destroyed

EL PASO, Texas, Feb. 7.—Two men and a woman were killed in a fire that partially destroyed the St. Charles Hotel here early today.

Five persons were injured.

Names of the dead and injured have not yet been determined.

NEGRO KILLED, OFFICER SHOT IN GUN DUEL

DALLAS, Texas, Feb. 7.—Perez Ridge, 24, negro, was fatally wounded, and Policeman Herbert Taylor is suffering from a flesh wound in his left arm as result of a pistol duel which occurred when the officer attempted to arrest Ridge for creating a disturbance.

GRIEVES AT DEATH OF DAUGHTER, SUICIDES

FORT WORTH, Texas, Feb. 7.—The man who shot and killed himself in a local hotel room late yesterday today had been identified as O. S. Sholden, of Dallas. He had registered as "A. S. Brown, Terrell, Texas." Grief over the death of a six year old daughter for which Monday was to have been the anniversary, was the cause, officers believe.

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FIGS PROFITABLE IF DIVERSIFIED

Jefferson Soil and Climate Favorable, Says Groves

Jefferson county farmers can profit by the growing of figs, if the idea is taken up upon an intensive and diversified program.

This statement was made this morning by A. F. Groves, who has had experience with almost every known plant and fruit, and who has recently been through fig groves and canning plants operated near Houston.

Conditions Favorable

Soil and climatic conditions here are favorable to the growing of figs and over a period of years, if diversification is practiced, the crop should pay, according to Mr. Groves' analysis.

In Houston recently J. L. Poutre, manager of the Carpenter Fig company, whom Mr. Groves has known for the past 15 years, told the Port Arthur man that if the farmers would plant 100 acres and get them to the point where they would bear a heavy crop, then they could support a canning plant. Meanwhile, or until the crop grows into an extensive proposition, the fruit could be canned at Winnie, where a plant has been in operation for a number of years.

Profit Grows

Poutre told Mr. Groves of one farmer in the Houston section who had been growing figs for five years. On a 15-acre tract he was paid by the canning factory $25,000 over a five-year period. For the first year he received only a few hundred dollars, but the figure mounted the second year and grew accordingly.

Mr. Groves stoutly maintains that a farmer should not go into fig culture and expect that crop to pay the way for the entire farm. He should go slowly, taking a small tract and continue with other crops. This system has always proved the best and in the opinion of Mr. Groves would mean the success of fig culture here.

The Magnolia fig, for canning, would best be adapted to this section, according to Mr. Groves.

WHEAT EXPORTS SET NEW RECORD

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its place as the port of most regular sailing from Port Arthur, 23 vessels leaving here for the Mexican water metropolis.

Ports of Destination

A lesson in geography is gleaned from a perusal of the list of other destinations. Look over these, taken from the research files for January: Bizerte; Mode Wheel Port, England; Vlaardingen, Holland; Rotterdam, Antwerp, Copenhagen, Havana, Arroyo, Arecibo, San Juan, Kingston, St. Ann's Bay, Swatow, Manila, Hong Kong, Cebu, P. I., Genta, Melbourne, Sydney, New Castle, Brisbane, Lockhampton, Messina, Venice, Ancona, Bari, Vera Cruz, Port Lobos, Port Au Prince, Stockholm, London, Shanghai, Taku Bar, Rio de Janeiro, Rosario, Montevideo, Spezia, Arecibo and Ponce.

Dickman Allowed to Pay His Unsecured Creditors One-Fourth

BEAUMONT, Texas, Feb. 7.—Judge W. Lee Estes, who is now holding court in the Tyler division, notified S. B. Cooper, referee in bankruptcy, that the composition offer of J. Dickman, dry goods merchant of Port Arthur, to settle with his unsecured creditors at 25 cents on the dollar had been approved. Under the terms of the offer Mr. Dickman will be required to pay all priority claims consisting of income tax, property tax, wages and rent in full. While no announcement has been made to that effect, it is presumed that Mr. Dickman will reopen his establishment within a few days.

SCOUT BANQUET

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play their handicraft, which to one unfamiliar with Scout work, will amaze and bring forth questions of interest. A free hat checking booth also will be maintained for banquet guests. Another instance of Scout work will be featured in the decorative scheme applied to the main dining room and on the two stages.

Comprehensive Program

Musical numbers will be rendered throughout the banquet by Mrs. Fred P. Dodge, Mrs. R. L. Drake, Miss Hortense Smith and Mrs. Joe Park. Addresses of the evening will be made by Fred P. Dodge, president of the Scout council; Rex. W. L. Caugran, chairman of the Court of Honor; Leonard Power, Scout commissioner, and others.

Direct invitations from the Scout council to members of the Rotary, Civitans and Lions clubs to attend the Scout banquet have been extended by the Scout council, and with the request each of the club members bring guests. The three luncheon clubs have called off their regular weekly luncheons this week to hold a joint function at the Scout banquet, officials in the clubs said today.

If you are interested in the Boy Scouts and their work in Port Arthur, come to the Plaza banquet Thursday night, whether you get a formal invitation or not, is the word issued from scout headquarters. Plates will be reserved for those calling up Scout headquarters, it is said.

FAREWELL TO FROCK COATS

BERLIN, Feb. 7.—A sign of the reconstitution of Germany under the Ebert government is seen in the new rule, just promulgated here, that university students need not appear at examinations in frock coats.

WARNS AGAINST USE FOR BONUS

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settlement represented a fair bargain, just to both governments, but, more important still, a recognition of the integrity of agreements and the stability of contracts, of which, he said, the world is in great need. Great Britain, he said, had manifested "the highest sense of financial honor," in the matter.

"Faith is Kept"

The president spoke with gratification of what he termed the almost unanimous approval of press and public of the settlement.

"It means vastly more," he added, "than the mere funding and the ultimate discharge of the largest international loan ever contracted. It is a recommitment of the English speaking world to the validity of contract.

"Here is kept faith—willingly kept, let it be recorded—and a covenant of peace no less tentative than it would be if joint British and American opposition to war were expressly agreed upon. It is a covenant of peace and cooperation. It is a new element of financial and economic stabilization, when the world is sadly needing a reminder of the ways of peace. It is an example of encouragement and inspiration, when the world is staggering in discouragement, and bowed with the sorrows of wars which humanity is praying may be avoided."

If the debtor nation could approach the question in such a spirit as British showed, the United States should meet it in the same spirit, and readily approve, Mr. Harding said, "and with a promptness that will convey fitting appreciation."

Means Up to Congress

The president made no recommendation as to the form the legislation proving the settlement should take. He left it to congress to decide whether to make a general amendment of the debt funding law, applying the terms of the British settlement to all debtor nations, or to approve merely the British arrangement separately without changing the terms of the law.

President Harding's message to congress on the funding of the British war debt to the United States started by quoting the report already made public by the debt commission.

Mr. Harding then said in part:

"In its comment upon the arrangements negotiated, the commission itself has said essentially everything necessary to commend the agreement to your sanction. Note that the commission urges that the settlement is on a basis which is fair and just to both governments,' and 'will make a most important contribution to international stability.' More important still is the closing observation that 'it is a business settlement, fully preserving the integrity of the obligations,' and it represents the first great step in the readjustment of the international obligations growing out of the war.' In these observations I most heartily approve.

"First Clearing of War Clouds"

"The call of the world today is for integrity of agreements, the sanctity of covenants, the validity of contracts. Here is the first clearing of the war clouded skies in a debt burdened world, and the sincere commitment of one great nation to validate its financial pledges and discharge its obligations in the highest sense of financial honor.

"There is no purpose to report that your commission has driven a hard bargain with Great Britain, or to do a less seemly thing in proclaiming a rare generosity in settlement.

"Amid widespread clamor for the cancellation of World War debts, as a rancid but ridiculous contribution toward peace—a clamor not limited to the lands of debtor nations but insistent among many of our own people—the British commission came to make acknowledgement of the debt, to put fresh stamp of approval upon its validity and agree upon terms for its repayment," Mr. Harding said.

It was manifest from the beginning he declared that Great Britain could not undertake any program for payment which would conform to the limitations of time and interest rates which the commission had been authorized to grant. But here was a great nation acknowledging its obligations and seeking terms to which it might repay.

Repayment in Pledge

"I am not unmindful of the disposition to pledge the application of anticipated payments in giving sanction to the settlement," the president said. "It is not necessary to remind congress that the use of moneys in the repayment of war loans has been pledged by the very grant of authority to make the loans. The repeal of that commitment is always within the authority of the congress if such a repeal is deemed wise but it will best comport with the importance of such an international transaction to give a frank, exclusive and direct decision, uninvolved by any disposition of the moneys which the funding program ultimately will bring to the federal treasury.

Today you have a debt settlement which is to bring the treasury something more than a hundred and fifty millions a year and we rightly appraise it a notable accomplishment. On the other hand the executive branch of the government is charged with the operation of government owned shipping which is losing the federal treasury $50,000,000 a year. It is as important to avoid losses as it is to secure funds on debts or from taxation sources.

"Mere acceptance by prolonged debate is a mark of impotence on a vitally important public question; I plead for a decision. If there is a favorable majority the bill should be enacted. If a majority is opposed, defeat will be decisive. Then if congress fails in provided the requested alternative measure the executive branch of the government may proceed as best it can to end the losses in liquidation and humiliation.

"I speak frankly, because the situation demands frankness. I am trying to emphasize a responsibility which cannot be met by one branch of the government alone. There is call for congressional expression, not mere avoidance. I am not seeking now to influence the senate's decision, but I am appealing for some decision."

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LIONS ROSE SALE TO OPEN FRIDAY

Club Sponsors Move to Supply Them at Cost

Advance orders for lots of one dozen roses or more is a feature of the 1923 annual rose sale of the Lions Club, announced today by E. S. Carter, chairman of the club's committee for selling the roses.

The regular sale of the roses will be held Friday morning, starting at nine o'clock in front of the Strand theater, Carter said, since the year after the 1915 flood, the Lions Club has been holding these rose sales in an effort to stimulate the growing of shrubs and flowers in the city it is pointed out and the roses are offered at cost, 25 cents a plant.

Lots of a dozen or more plants may be reserved by calling E. S. Carter at 220 during the day, 1298 or 1652 at night. The following varieties are offered at this year's sale:

American Beauty, red; bridesmaid pink; crimson chatter, Mrs. John Cook, white; hadley, deep red; Hugh Dickson, rose red; johnkeer, flesh pink; Lady Hillingson, yellow; mamm cochet, pink; Mrs Aaron Ward yellow; Mrs. A. Charnes, salmon pink; radiance, pink; red radiance; sunburst, yellow; white cochet; Francisca Kruger, copper; el. American beauty, red; el. pink cochet; and el. white cochet.

TURTLE BURIED UNDER ASPHALT 6 YEARS LIVES

GAINESVILLE, Texas, Feb. 7—A hermitage of six years standing was rudely interrupted at Marietta, Okla., when a turtle was found alive and kicking beneath a pile of asphalt.

The animal had been dumped there six years ago and no other solution could be offered, but that the turtle had been buried at the time of the dumping.

BOTH LEGS CUT OFF

HAMILTON, Ohio, Feb. 7.—Both legs of Warren E. Howell, 63, were severed above the knee when he was struck by a B. & O. switch engine, Howell, witnesses said, was walking around the rear of the engine when it started suddenly. At the last municipal primary Howell was a candidate for mayor on the republican ticket.

Crowds Block Austin Avenue When Gongs Sound "False Alarm"

"Clang! Clang!"

The big bells on the fire wagons of the Port Arthur department sounded a harsh warning as the trucks sped down Procter street and turned in Austin avenue.

A crowd gathered hurriedly and mazed its way on the avenue blocking the traffic.

From the doorway of the Corner Drug Store smoke curled toward the skies, and an unmistakable odor permeated the atmosphere.

The firemen dismounted, the crowd surged closer to the doorway and then—

"It's all out now," a man exclaimed. "It was only a little cupful of gasoline sitting next to the gas stove that became ignited."

But it had filled the store with smoke, and someone had turned in a fire alarm.

"Clang! Clang!"

The bells of the fire trucks sounded again; they "about faced" and drove slower toward the station. It was all over.

WIFE SAYS HUSBAND FETED SEPARATION

CHICAGO, Feb. 7.—A "separation party" is the name of a social innovation introduced into divorce court annals in a bill for separation filed on behalf of Mrs. Isadore Beardsley against Claude Beardsley.

According to the bill, the invitation to the "separation party" was given Oct. 21, 1922, by Beardsley, to a number of friends at a downtown hotel. All these friends had been guests at the Beardsley's wedding.

According to the bill the invitation read as follows:

"I want all you people to have dinner with me at the College Inn. My wife and I are going to celebrate our separation."

PLAGUE OF FOXES

JANESVILLE, Wis., Feb. 7.—Walworth county has such a plague of foxes that an organized hunt will take place this week. A band of hunters from Lake Mills, Wis., with packs of hounds will attempt to clean up the pests which have been killing chickens and even attacking sheep.

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While gray faded hair is not sinful we all desire to retain our youthful appearance and attractiveness. By darkening your hair with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound, no one can tell, because it does it so naturally, so evenly. You just dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time; by morning all gray hairs have disappeared. After another application or two your hair becomes beautifully dark, glossy, soft and luxuriant and you appear years younger.—adv

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WAR FILM IN PREVIEW HERE

Graphic Scenes in Battle Picture Sponsored by Vets

Special arrangements for all school children desiring to see the film of actual fighting in France, "Powder River", coming to the Peoples theater next Monday and Tuesday, will be made for Monday afternoon, George M. Sims, superintendent of the city schools, declared today after seeing a preliminary exhibition of the film at the Peoples at 10:30 a. m. today.

"It is a show that every man, woman and child in Port Arthur should see," Sims said. "Clear and graphic, Powder River' is a wonderful production of actual war conditions both on land and sea. While the picture is not gruesome, and will not be objectionable to the most faint hearted, it does depict war as it was in many phases.

Shows Sinking Ships

Sinking of a large ship by a German submarine, the sailors jumping into the sea and taking to the open boats, is shown as a prelude to "Powder River", the film for this prelude having been made in Germany under the auspices of the German government and circulated as propaganda during the war, Sims said.

Action of the American troops in the Argonne, St. Mihiel, and at Chateau-Thierry, showing the operations of tanks, troops and airplanes in actual battle are among the scenes in "Powder River". Scenes of ships convoying troops to France, and an attack on the convoy by a German U-boat opens the picture.

Among those attending the showing of "Powder River" today were Chief of Police M. B. Word, Mayor J. P. Logan, several ministers of the city and school officials. "Powder River" will be shown in this city under the auspices of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, and funds raised from the exhibitions, next Monday and Tuesday, will be devoted by the Port Arthur veterans to a club house, C. H. Fitz-Gerald, post commander, said.

HARDIN SOUNDS NO TAX ALARM

Legisiature Should Pack Up, Go Home, Claims

AUSTIN, Texas, Feb. 7.—Representative Hardin of Kaufman county today declared opposition to all leading measures that seek to increase taxes, and asserted that "this legislature has just one duty to perform and that is to adjourn and go home."

"There is nothing before us now but a long string of regulatory measures and tax bills, not one of which would be approved by the tax payers of Texas," said Representative Hardin.

"Unless this legislature means to indulge in a riot of extravagance, there can be no excuse for any further taxation. The ad valorem tax rate for general revenue purposes has just been raised from 22 cents to 25 cents, and according to figures submitted by the board of control that raise alone means an increase revenue to the state of $2,200,000 each year. In addition to that, the oil tax measure will undoubtedly pass the senate and be approved by the governor, thus bringing another increase of more than two millions a year.

Revenues Ample

"This means that increased revenue has already been provided to the extent of approximately five and a half million dollars a year, or eleven millions for the next biennium. So, granting that more revenue is needed, I don't think any sensible man will contend that the needs of the state government have so increased that eleven millions will not take care of such increase."

WIFE SLAYER INDICTED

AKRON, Ohio, Feb. 7.—John Paul Lawson of Barberton, self confessed wife slayer, has been indicted on a charge of first degree murder by the grand jury here. Lawson is blind as a result of a bullet wound in his left temple, inflicted when he attempted suicide after shooting his wife, Helen, in their home Nov. 2.

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WATCH ON RHINE ENDS OFF TYBEE

Savannah Gives Vets a Rousing Reception

SAVANNAH, Ga., Feb. 7.—The United States army of occupation, home from the Rhine, reached American waters shortly before noon today.

Standing off Tybee Island, while Savannah awaited with a welcome as enthusiastic as in wartimes, the steamer St. Mihiel, with 1,200 khaki-clad figures jamming the rails, passed quarantine.

Sides of the ship channel were lined with throngs, waving flags, for miles down the harbor. Chugging tugs scurried about clearing the way for the transport as flags and streamers fluttered from the masts of vessels in the harbor.

THREE GIVEN BONDS ON LIQUOR CHARGES

The luxury of knowing that one can sip a smooth drink of Scotch whenever one desires to do so is getting more and more expensive.

Federal Commissioner Morris yesterday spent a busy day in Port Arthur.

He released W. D. McFadden on $500 bond, after officers said he was found in a shed out on the Griffing road with five cases of extra Edinburgh mellow. W. R. Fontenot was released on $500 bond in two cases on a charge of having the stuff in his possession and Gene Griffin was released on $1,000 bond on a similar charge.

USE LEGS 30 DAYS, SPEEDERS' SENTENCE

RACINE, Wis., Feb. 7.—Matt Theres and Jacob Chevis have agreed to join the ranks of the pedestrians for the next 30 days, promising Judge Burgess in municipal court that they will not drive or ride in a privately owned motor vehicle for that period.

Both were arrested by the police on the charge of exceeding the speed limit. Theres was arrested once before on a similar charge. Judge Burgess Thursday gave them the choice of paying a heavy fine or agreeing to remain out of motor vehicles until May 3, the stipulation being that they may ride only in a public conveyance, like a motor bus, or on a bicycle.

LAND OF SUNSHINE

GUNNISON, Colo., Feb. 7.—The center of the "Land of Sunshine" is right here in Gunnison. The records prove it. Joseph Howland, manager of a local hotel, gives a free meal to anyone who asks for it any day the sun fails to peek out for a minute at least. During 1922, not a free meal was served on this proposition. And it wasn't because there were no hungry ones here. The reason was that the sun made its appearance at least once on every one of the 365 days last year.

CITY POLICE COURT FOR ORDINANCE VIOLATORS

Chauffeurs who violate the city ordinance demanding that bonds be made and licenses be taken out will be prosecuted in city police court.

This statement was made before the commission yesterday by Chief Word.

Some of the drivers have not paid their license and the others have not made their bond. Chief Word said and merely explained that he was going to haul them all into police court to settle the matter through penalties.

FREE BREAD IN WINDY CITY CHAIN STORE WAR

CHICAGO, Feb. 7.—Bread was free here today.

Eighty-eight stores of a chain of groceries gave a loaf of bread to every one making a purchase.

The move was the latest development of the price war being waged between two chain store organizations.

Officials declared bread would be given away "as long as necessary to prove our statement that no one can sell bread cheaper than we can."

BRILLIANT COLORS

At a recent smart dance at the Ritz Carlton it was noticed that practically all the guests wore vivid colors. Orange, flamingo, red, sapphire blue and jade green costumes made a brilliant kaleidoscope of color.

CAN RUSSIA SWING SCALES OF WAR? NO, SAYS WORKER

Is Russia and her sovietism a menace to the peace of Europe? This is a question disturbing those who think they see in Russia a powerful ally of Germany in possible trouble growing out of France's invasion of the Ruhr.

Tied up with it is this question: Has sovietism really changed?

A man who has just come from Russia, and who sees her through the unbiased eyes of a philanthropist, discusses here the economic background in which are mirrored all the probabilities of Russia as a factor for war or peace:

BY EDWARD THIERRY
NEA Service Staff Writer

NEW YORK, Feb. 7.—"Economically, Russia is weak. Financially she is flat. Philanthropy cannot restore her and only public finance can."



A. T. BURNS

This is the picture painted by Allen T. Burns, member of the Commission on Russian Relief, just returned from a four-months tour of investigation.

Burns noted for his civic and sociological work in Pittsburgh, Cleveland, Rochester, Chicago and New York spoke with the strict emphasis that he had neither comment nor opinion on Russia's political and military aspects.

His conclusions otherwise are these:

"Communism exists mainly in name. The power of the peasants is becoming supreme. The peasants' passion is peace, they do not want war; a significant thing about them is their gratitude, admiration even, adoration for the United States.

"Restoration of agriculture is the biggest thing before the republic. M. Chicherin, the foreign minister, agreed with these, saying to me, 'The need is so pressing that it will compel us to get a foreign loan.' I ventured to suggest that if it is so pressing perhaps the soviet might be compelled to meet the terms of the people who have money to lend. Chicherin was silent."

Burns declared that step by step the peasants were forcing a change in communism.

"Russia normally is 90 per cent agricultural," he said. "Industrial workers created communism. Now there is scarcely any industry; workers are either idle or flocking back to the land.

"Peasants forced the revocation of confiscations of grain and produce in favor of a scale of 10 to 12 per cent tax on a normal crop; they simply laid down on the job and grew only enough to feed themselves and demanded from the government tickets they were entitled to under the soviet scheme for things they didn't raise.

"The next step in revolutionizing communism was the abandonment of government operation. The government still owns everything—in name. For example, they let corporations run industries—and hand back to them 90 per cent of the profits; it is simply, under a different name, taxation of 10 per cent of private enterprise."

Burns made it plain that he could make no political forecasts. His emphasis was on the declaration that every consideration of Russia must go back to agriculture which is Russia's life backbone, and ruling motive.

"The outstanding fact is that for the past two years she has been planting but 50 per cent of normal," he said. He pointed out that the famine due to the drought of last summer was 50 per cent as bad as that of 1921 and affected an area in which there are 15,000,000 people.

TEN MISSING IN WICHITA BLAZE

More Bodies Blieved in Getto Ruins

WICHITA, Kan., Feb. 7.—The toll of the death of the disastrous Getto building fire Sunday night and Monday morning may run high as the debris is removed in the opinion of firemen and residents of Main, and Second streets. A close check on the known missing leaves ten to be accounted for. It was not unusual for friends of roomers to come up late and spend the night. Such visitors, being unfamiliar with the building, would have difficulty in effecting an escape from the burning structure, it was said. Three badly burned bodies from the mass of brick and plaster have been cleared away, it is felt that at least nine more may be found.

The list of missing is as follows:

E. G. BROWN.
Unknown man in room seven, second floor.
EDNA KNIGHT.
MRS. N. J. SHARP.
MRS. MATTIE BOYER, (known as Mrs. Long) and brother, Jones.
NELLIE ANDERSON.
CLEO WOOD.
MRS. GEORGE CHRISTIAN and 12-year-old daughter.

WHO WAS THE RUBE?

FT. MADISON, Iowa, Feb. 7.—Dressed in out of date fashion a young woman stepped into a cloak store here a few days ago and asked to use the telephone. Apparently ignorant of how to operate one she turned the crank of a pencil sharpener on a desk and then without raising the receiver tried to talk. Store attaches laughed. They were convinced she was a "rube." She then bought a dress, giving a check for $50. Later the check came back marked "no funds."

False Nose Pulled, He Chases Enemy; $5 Fine

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Feb. 7.—Charles Marsh, 28, of 314 Union street, appeared on the streets wearing a false nose. He was posing as a fisherman in advertising a local seafood establishment.

A stranger appeared and pulled the false nose of Marsh. Although Marsh was garbed in a pair of heavy rubber boots, he pursued his enemy until a policeman interfered. Marsh was fined $5 in district court.

SAYS WOMEN NEED POLITICAL TRAINING

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Feb. 7.—"Women are not educated for politics and they should not get their political education practicing in public," Mrs. Frederick P. Moore, of Pittsburg, declared in an address to women here.

"I believe women should lend their efforts to legislation to better the conditions of former service men. They should let the men do the rest," Mrs. Moore said.

"Women need more experience and the only way they can get it is in schools of politics. We have many classes that teach women the needs of the day and the ways of getting them. All women should attend them."

Center of Square In Italian Town is Spouting Volcano

VENICE, Feb. 7.—An odd phenomenon occurred here Wednesday morning in the little town of France Rigo, on the Livenza river. After violent rumblings a crater suddenly opened with a great explosion in the center of Market square, from which flames and boiling water spouted to a height of sixty or seventy feet. The population is in panicky condition, fearing further eruptions.

RUSS BREWERS MAKING VODKA

100 Factories Reconverted To Produce Kick

MOSCOW MOSCOW, Feb. 7.—Petrograd is trying to come back.

A number of factories are being reopened in the former capital of the old Russia. These are largely for the manufacture of vodka, which is booze of 10 horsepower. This Russian drink is 40 per cent alcohol and has some kick.

The newly formed spirit-trust is building 10 factories at Petrograd of which six are practically completed and two of them are turning out vodka.

Since Russia decided to be wet again, the manufacture of vodka is being resumed on a big scale. The thirsty Russians have no cause to be worried over the supply, for in addition to the stored liquor being released, 100 factories are making vodka out of potatoes, grain and sugar.

Under the Czaristic regime a certain amount of the revenues of the sale of voda was devoted to the bad influences of the vodka.

The present regime, too, intends to devote a certain amount for the education of the people for which purpose a certain sum will be handed over to the department of education.

SCHOLASTIC MEET

GEORGETOWN, Texas, Feb. 7.—The date for the Williamson County interscholastic meet has been set for Friday, March 30, at Georgetown. All schools in the county are expected to have representatives in the contests.

THEATRES

WEDNESDAY

Peoples: Madge Bellamy and Douglas MacLean in "The Hottentot."
Strand: Margaret Lillie Co. in vaudeville: and picture, "Alf's Button."
Pearce: Rodolph Valentino and Carmel Meyers starred in "All Night."
Liberty: "The Lavendar Bath Lady," featuring Gladys Walton.

THURSDAY

Peoples: Madge Bellamy and Douglas MacLean starred in "The Hottentot."
Strand: Margaret Lilly Co. in vaudeville: and picture, "Alf's Button."
Pearce: "The Oath" starring Marian Cooper and Anna Q. Nilsson.
Liberty: Virginia Warwick and William Patton in "The American Toreador."

HIGHLY AMUSING SITUATIONS

Highly amusing situations abound in "The Hottentot", which opened today at the Peoples with Douglas MacLean and Madge Bellamy in the stellar roles.

This a story of horses, fun and excitement as a stage play it was a success, but is a greater one on the screen for the camera has pictured in full many of the most humorous and thrilling situations which could only be suggested on the stage because of space limitations.

"MY AUNT FROM UTAH"

"The new comedy bill "My Aunt From Utah", with which the Margaret Lilly Co. opens the later half of the week's program at the Strand tonight, promises some rare fun and amusement. Miss Lilly has recuperated sufficient to take the title comedy role. Miss Emerson will give a special feature, a piano ... members of the company will furnish added fun and specialties. New scenery and costumes will add to the attractiveness of the program.

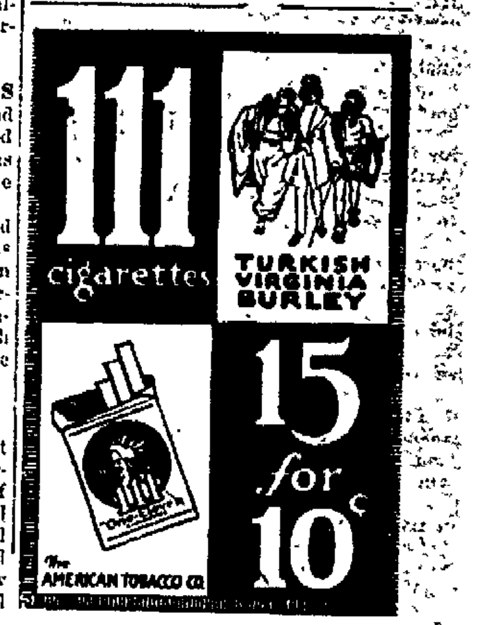
STUPENDOUS STORY

"Swear you'll never reveal our marriage" the girl insisted and the man took the vow. This vow brought havoc and a disillusion to two romances. Around this theme of "The Oath" featuring Conway Tearle and Marian Cooper, is laid.

This feature opens at the Pearce for a two-day engagement Thursday.

RESIDENCE IS BURNED

RUSK, Texas, Feb. 7.—A residence belonging to Tom B. Mallard and occupied by Mrs. W. A. Bonner, whose home is in Dallas, was destroyed by fire. The family was aroused by a neighbor just in time to escape from the flames.



HERO DIES IN RESCUE OF TWO

Burns to Death When Roof Collapses

BURKBURNETT, Texas, Feb. 7.—The body of a hero lies in an undertaker's parlor here today.

Two of their children were in the flaming structure when the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Cullum burned. Charles Coe, oil field worker, hearing the mother's shrieks of agony plunged into the mass of fire. He brought out one of the children.

Another child, 3 years of age, remained within. Coe dashed into the tottering house the second time. Spectators saw him appear at a window. A moment later, the roof collapsed.

Coe's body was found later, the dead child clutched in his arms.

Pending word from Frederick, Oklahoma, where his relatives live, Coe's body is being held here.

CALL BIDS FOR PAVING 4 BEAUMONT STREETS

BEAUMONT, Texas, Feb. 7.—Bids for paving four streets in this city, part of the streets ordered paved in Beaumont's $1,775,000 municipal bond issue have been called for by the city commission through advertisements issued by Ben C. Le Baron, city clerk. Estimated cost of paving the streets for which bids will be asked at this time is $125,000.

Included in the present work is the paving of Railroad avenue, from Sabine Pass avenue to College street; Fannin street from Park to Victoria; Magnolia from Crockett to Liberty avenue, and Pine street from Mulberry to Ash street.

MERCHANT PAYS 20 CENTS ON THE DOLLAR

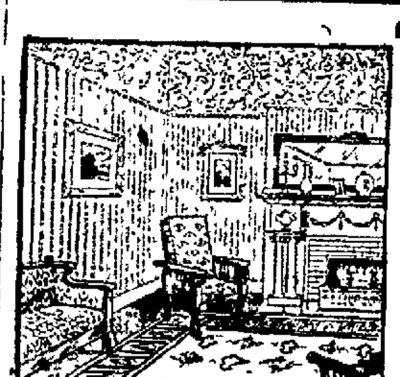
SOUR LAKE, Texas, Feb. 7.—Sale of the bankrupt stocks, furniture, fixtures and open accounts of Sam Sharfstein, dry goods merchant, to a Dallas firm Tuesday brought 60 cents on the dollar, the price paid being $9,375. Approval of the sale was given by S. S. Cooper, referee in bankruptcy.

Trackless Street Cars Considered by Orange

ORANGE, Texas, Feb. 7.—A proposition to operate a trackless electric car system through Orange thoroughfares was taken up by the city commission, meeting Tuesday night. Submitted by Harry Burr and associates, the application for a franchise to start the street car system guarantees that operation of the system will be started within 18 months after the franchise is granted. They request six months in which to accept the terms of the franchise, in the event one is granted by the commission.

WANDERS FROM CITY AND PERISHES IN COLD

CHEYENNE, Wyo., Feb. 7.—Chris Anderson, 63, years old, wandered away from Cheyenne while demented and perished from exposure about three miles east of town. His body was found by friends who instituted a search when they became alarmed over his absence from his room. Anderson had been acting queerly for some time. Recently he was found by police in the railroad yards, wrapped in a quilt and without shoes. He leaves about $10,000 in bank deposits and Liberty bonds. He was unmarried.



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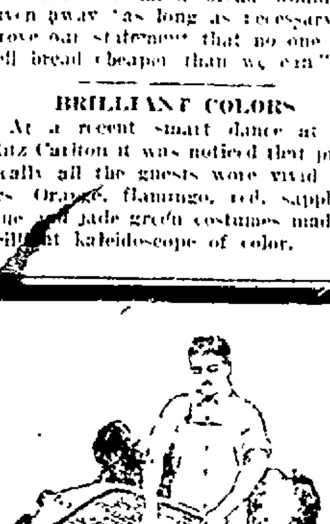
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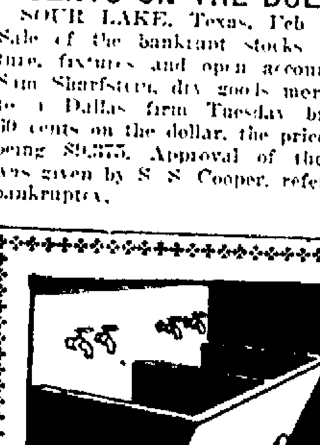
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These hats are shown as such popular pricings as $5 to $15.

Spring itself designed the new

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It's the cape that interprets the nonchalant air of Spring so well, some of feminine grace for dress, others of mannishness for sport wear.

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New frocks go gaily from one extreme to the other, daytime finds them clinging to the figure and nighttime finds them billowing forth into graciousness—as quaint as a minuet.

It is the vivid color of these flat crepes, taffetas, printed crepes and canton crepes and the color that flashes from their trimmings that make them entirely different. $19.50 to $89.50 are the prices.

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THE RAIN

Wherever there is sufficient moisture in the earth the crops are bountiful, the wealth of the world is increased, prosperity comes to those who till the soil and comparative happiness reigns.

Texas was dry from the Colorado foothills almost to the gulf. This was in the closing days of a dying year. There were spots where the surface of the earth was as dry as a bat's cave, and farmers and stockmen were apprehensive.

They know the disaster in a financial sense produced by a long period of drought. Now it is different.

Texas was first covered with a blanket of rain and then with a blanket of sleet. Then came a heavy freeze, and Texas was ice-covered almost to the boundary line of the Italy of America known as the Magic valley.

Then came the snowfall on top of the ice and now when the warm rays of a Texas sun has melted the snow and the ice and there is moistsure in the earth, that means at its minimum $200,000,000 increase in the estimate of wealth that the farmers of the Lone Star will take out of the earth in the harvest months of 1923.

This the rain sent by Providneee makes all the people glad it makes the banker optomistic, it makes the merchant smile, it makes all the commercial classes and manufacturing classes realize that civilization begins and almost ends at the cloud.

There is moisture everywhere. All the creeks and tanks are full to overflowing and in the meat producing regions of the Southwest, the stockmen say that the future is bright, and that bumper crops should be the reward of those who toil in Texas this year.

Ninety-three persons were killed at grade crossings in the last three months in Texas. They may be non-progressive in the British Isles, and in the foremost nations of continental Europe, but there are no grade crossing permitte dover there.

GRAND OLD NAMES

Now the scientists of the Rockefeller institute of medical research announce the discovery of the cause and the isolation of the influenza germ, and the probability for the discovery of a cure or preventative in the very near future. This is one blessing that the Rockefeller money has conferred upon the family of men. Dr. Peter K. Olitsky is the man who made the discovery. Isn't that a grand old New England name?

Waco is on the map. In the city democratic primary election all who take the pledge will be permitted to vote, and it is said this will permit negroes to take part in the election. This news should be broken gently to some of the politicians of the Alamo city.

KING COTTON GOING WEST

King Cotton is traveling westward. Parmer county is on the New Mexico border line. Farwell is its county seat. They finished the first gin in the county last week and the first bale of cotton was ginned, in the history of the county.

Advices to the farm bureau are that there will be a large cotton crop planted in Parmer county and eastern New Mexico if the season is favorable.

Two or three years ago, there was more cotton raised in the territory west of Fort Worth than in the territory east and south of Fort Worth, and not many years ago all this vast territory was a grazing range for countless herds.

And thus it is that King Cotton is moving westward every year.

AND WHY NOT?

Representative tax-payers of Fannin county are opposed to all nuisance taxes. That is, they are opposed to taxes on movies, on chewing gum, and all other sources of revenue which were taxed by the federal government in war times and became known as the nuisance taxes.

When peace came, it will be recalled, these nuisance taxes were repealed by congress in response to a popular demand for their repeal, by millions of people.

A dispatch from Bonham says that the Chamber of Commerce, or board of trade, has asked Fannin county representatives to oppose all special excise taxes of this nature.

There are murmurings everywhere, against the proposed taxation measures known as nuisance measures. And why not?

HEFLIN

Senator Heflin of Alabama says he has been treated unfairly by the subsidized press and has threatened to take steps to prevent certain press representatives from sitting in the press gallery. Nature presented to the world an unfinished job when it turned Heflin out of its workshop. It didn't build anything above the Heflin tongue. Poor chap, he isn't responsible for his tongue. Pity the man who is brainy from the tongue down.

And now the news comes from Moscow that France is seeking a restoration of Russian trade. And in the long run France will make a secret treaty with Turkey and then the break with Great Britain will be complete.

WHERE THEY ARE GOING

German emigrants are flocking to South America. Shipping lists from German ports register every month a larger number not only of German emigrants going to South America, but of German salesmen anxious to resume and extend pre-war accommodations. A veritable paradise of undeveloped wealth is South America and the Germans are going there. There are six great ships plying between Hamburg and the South American ports, and their business is growing greater all the time.

RUNNING CLOSE

President Harding forecasts a deficit of $92,500,000 on the budget of the nation at the close of the fiscal year. Even General "Hell-and-Mariah" Daws would be willing to concede that this is running close to the shore.

Senator Robert L. Owen of Oklahoma in a recent speech declared unlimited debate uidemocratic. And Senator Owen has ever been classified as a Bryan democrat.

Copper hit the mark the other day at 15c per pound, the highest since 1920. There is a heavy foreign demand and another advance is expected.

Pennsylvania crude is selling at $3.55 a barrel as compared with a low price of $3.25 a barrel in 1921. It is conceded that mid-continent crude is of as high or higher gravity. Now just why shouldn't mid-continent crude touch a high mark?

Some of the poor doughboys must leave their wives. For that matter, some must leave their German police dogs.

[illegible] decided to accept the American debt funding [illegible] said Mr. Bull is a wise man.

YOU AND I

POLICE

The world laughed and hooted when Sir William Horwood, head of Scotland Yard detecetives, was poisoned by candy sent through the mails. Scotland Yard kept quiet. It has the laugh now, as it puts the handcuffs on a man whom "The Yard" charges with sending the candy. No matter how excellently anyone performs, it's the occasional slip-up that gets the most attention.

In four recent years England had 290 murders. Scotland Yard, working on these cases, arrested 313 persons, of whom only 64 were released, the rest convicted. American police, please note: The murderer in England has less than a 50-50 chance of getting away.

BIRDMEN

J. H. Knight, distant ace of the pilots of government mail planes, has flown over 147,000 miles. He probably has had a few minor accidents in connection with his work, but mighty few of us could travel that distance, without mishap, by railroad, auto, on foot or by boat.

Flying is getting to be a reasonably safe form of transportation when a mail pilot, braving all kinds of weather, can cover 147,000 miles and live to tell it. Eventually the airplane will be the safest form of transportation—safer even than walking.

FORD

Ford's bookkeepers bring him final reports showing that he made 1,351,332 passenger cars and trucks last year. This was 300,000 more than the year before.

Many now living will see the day when some future Ford will make as many flying flivvers as Henry made cars in 1922.

Taking to the air is part of our evolution, like the fish whose fins evolved into bird wings. Maybe some day there'll be a Bryan to rise up and deny that men ever were confined exclusively to the earth's surface in traveling.

CRUELTY

In Mexico City, dog fights are prohibited by Mayor Prieto Laurens. He says it's disgraceful to pit animals against each other in a death struggle. Word is out that he'll stop chicken fights next. The bull fight may even be banned.

This will especially please so-called civilized white men who are opposed to cruelty to animals. Their opposition is most emphatic between the wars that slaughter mere humans.

WAGES

One of the best things about statistics is that it takes so long to compile them that they're too old to get into print when announced. An occasional exception, when interesting enough, like this: National Industrial Conference Board checks up factories in 25 basic industries and finds that the average employe was paid 50 cents an hour last November, compared with 24 cents an hour in July, 1914, on the eve of the big war.

Wage-earners generally will make comparisons to see how they have been stacking up with the average.

HEADACHE

Try to make head or tail of this mess of words from income tax blanks: "To compute the amount of surtax on any amount of net income in excess of $6000—First: Find in column A the largest sum which is less than the total amount of the net income subject to surtax. Second: Find in column C the corresponding amount of total surtax. Third: To the amount of surtax found as above add an amount computed as follows: Subtract from A and multiply the remainder by the rate shown on the next line below in Column B. The sum of these two amounts is the total surtax due."

How about a constitutional amendment to make Congress word laws so the average person could understand them?

Tom Sims Says

Those who want to see another war will not demand front seats.

Writers once lived in attics. Now they live in cellars.

Hunt the bright side. Longer winter lasts the longer it will be before spring cleaning.

There is so much war news in the paper we dreamed we were sleeping in a French box car.

Ireland is so quiet you can hear a fight three blocks.

Better get those Christmas bills paid before Easter.

If some people only scratched their heads while thinking their heads would never get scratched.

All Europe is on edge and someone is liable to push.

St. Louis woman shot her husband because he wouldn't work. Don't let your wife see this.

Passing off cold storage eggs is a shell game.

California has a baseball college. Difference between it and some other colleges is not so much.

When a young member of the super-sex says she likes your close shave give up or go home.

Reader asks if actors make good auto dodgers because they jump.

Only eleven more months before this year will be last year.

Anything can happen. In Boston someone stole a bass drum.

Your ship can't come in unless your ship goes out.

Throw yourself away, and you never like where you land.

The One-Man Woman

AS TO SING LOY

By Ruth Agnes Ebeling

BEGIN HERE TODAY

KATE WARD, widow of
DAN WARD, has a visitor.
CHINATOWN ALICE, who says Dan was the father of her child.
DOROTHY, Kate is much perturbed. Wooed by
JAMES LATHAM, she does not feel that she can wed again until she has solved the mystery of Dan's past. So she invites Alice to visit her at the home of her father.
JUSTIN PARSONS. Alice speaks freely of her own life but does not mention Dan. Finally Kate asks her how she made the acquaintance of
SIN GLOY, in whose laundry she is employed.

GO ON WITH THE STORY

A slight frown crossed Alice's face. "I don't know just how I did happen to arrive in a Chinese laundry," she said at length. "Natural course of events, I guess."

She paused, then:

"I suppose you've wondered why Sing calls me his wife and why I stand for it?

"It's a queer notion of his," she laughed a little. "He asked me to marry him the first day I was there. His oriental brain functioned in a straight line. I was a woman of marriageable age, he liked me, marriage was the only obvious and reasonable course. No possible previous entanglements occurred to him.

"They're like that, you know, single-track minds.

"A day came, though, when I was glad Sing Loy's mind had acted in that way. And on account of that day and his part in it I let him call me his wife—if it means anything to

"A number of years ago, when things weren's going any too well, I doubled up with a woman who'd been on the stage. We shared our money and our possessions. When she was going out she wore the silk stockings. When I was going out I wore them. That's the way we lived.

"She always seemed to be able to produce new things when the old ones wore out. I didn't know where they came from, never even questioned. You don't when you're living that way—until she'd been out one day and a policeman trailed her home.

"She was picked up for shoplifting!

"We were up in police court the next day." Alice's tone was impersonal. "I was young, too young for jail, and since I had no parents it looked for awhile as if I were going to be sent to a girls 'home.

"The judge was discussing it when Sing Loy stood up in the back of the room and claimed me as his wife! At first my impulse was to deny it. Then I saw what Sing Loy was trying to do for me and I kept still.

"The judge and the whole court room as inclined to scoff at the idea in the beginning. Sing was called to the front. I think they hoped to make fun of him, make him as ridiculous as possible, but hen he stepped out, neatly dressed, well groomed and began answering, the judge took him seriously and released me to go home with him.

"So that's why I don't resent his calling me his wife," Alice concluded.

"But suppose some man who really wanted to marry you heard him say that?" Kate suggested.

Alice considered.

"Well," she said at length, "that is something I don't have to think of."

To Be Continued)
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"SING LOY, CLAIMED ME AS HIS WIFE."

CUERO MAN INJURED

CUERO, Texas, Feb. 6.—William Wagner, county treasurer of De Witt county, slipped on the frozen walk of his home and dislocated his shoulder. He was treated at a local hospital.

Starving Month Ago, Now Heir to Millions

CHICAGO, Feb. 7.—A month ago 18-year-old Howard Gerard, printer, and son of the town barber of Southbridge, Mass., arrived in Chicago, broke and jobless.

After two weeks of long days, upon every one of which Howard's belt was pulled a notch tighter, he obtained a job at the Mumm print shop Thursday. Howard paused long enough from his composing machine to explain how it felt to suddenly be notified that one is heir to $2,000,000.

A vague, forgotten grand uncle, Antoine Demands, went to Paris a half century ago and was soon forgotten. But he didn't forget. He prospered and when he passed his estate was duly probated and, it was found he had $2,000,000 to be divided among six American relatives. Thus the amazing legacy.

STUDENTS WILL ISSUE PAPER

CUERO, Texas, Feb. 7.—High school students of Cuero will publish the next issue of the Cuero Daily Record, handling all news features. For some time the school students have been issuing a school paper called the "Gobbler."

A THOUGHT FOR TODAY

But Jesus called them unto him, and said, Suffer little children to come unto me, and forbid them not; for of such is the kingdom of God. —Luke 18:16.

Let your children be as so many flowers, borrowed from God. If the flowers die or wither, thank God for a summer loan of them.—Rutherford.

CAPITOL JOKES

BY EDWARD D. RICKETTS
U. S. Representative From Ohio, Eleventh District



IKE CASEY, an old-time section foreman, efficient but not educated, had to report a fatal accident.

A car of pig iron had got away from the Mexican who was in charge of it, had run down a steep grade and then had overturned in the ditch. The Mexican was killed.

RICKETTS Mike was required to fill out a detailed report on the form provided by the company, and after a deal of work and worry, he completed it, save for the space entitled: "Remarks."

Over this Mike puzzled for some time and then wrote:

"He never made any, he was dead."

SUFFERS FRACTURE

TEMPLE, Texas, Feb. 7.—Sam Melton, a railway employe, suffered a fractured collar bone in a fall from a motorcycle while traveling at considerable speed.

OPENS CAMPING GROUND

YOAKUM, Texas, Feb. 7.—John Pruetz of this city, owner of the Lake Side resort, has announced the opening of a free camping ground for the public.

Galveston Officials On Sharp Lookout For 'Arizona Phil'

GALVESTON, Texas, Feb. 7.—No avenue of escape will be left open for "Arizona Phil" Alquin, wanted in Los Angeles on a charge of having killed Detective Sergeant John J. Fitzgerald, and reported en route here following his deportation from Mexico where he had fled, police authorities said here today.

The Wolvin line freighter Mexicana, which was due to clear from Tampico yesterday, should be within radius of the wireless station today and calls to this vessel were to be sent every fifteen minutes.

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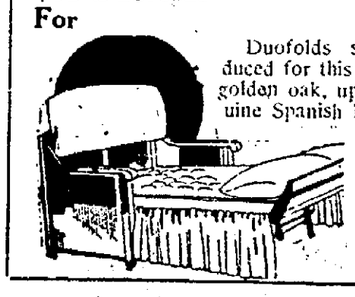
Small Rugs, 30x60 inch Smyrna rugs, regular value $7.50, this sale **$5.95**

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WEDNESDAY

Mrs. G. N. Bliss will be hostess to the Wednesday Whist Club at one o'clock luncheon at her home, 2947 Procter street.

Mrs. Carl Zapf will be hostess to the Wednesday Bridge Club at her home, 2847 Fourth street 7:30 o'clock.

Mrs. Walter A. Kavanaugh will entertain the Needlecraft Club at her home, 1625 Ninth street, 2:30 o'clock.

Miss Anna Schlicker will be hostess to the B. B. B. Club at her home in the Model addition.

Open House will be observed at the First Methodist Episcopal church, 7:30 o'clock.

The Rebekahs will meet in regular session at the K. P. hall, 7:30 o'clock.

The Woman's Hospital Board will meet at the Nurses' Home on Lake Shore drive, 10 o'clock. Election of officers.

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THURSDAY

Mrs. A. A. Gunter and Mrs. R. S. Lipham will be hostesses to the Altar Society at the Knights of Columbus hall, 2:30 o'clock.

Mrs. S. R. Hogaboom will entertain the Ladies Aid of the Congregational church at her home, 1531 Fifth street, 2:30 o'clock.

St. George's Episcopal Guild will entertain with a "Silver Tea" at the home of Mrs. Frank Y. Low, 1117 Lake Shore drive, 3 to 6 o'clock. Attractive program in charge of Mrs. M. J. Pamton.

The Missionary Society of the First M. E. Church, South, will meet in group formations for Bible Study at 2:30 o'clock, as follows:

Group One meets at Mrs. J. D. Bryan's home, 225 Lake Shore drive.

Group Two meets at the home of Mrs. W. S. Beard, 1311 Sixth street.

Group Three meets at the home of Mrs. H. H. Brown, 1617 Fifth street.

Group Four meets at Mrs. E. L. Canada's home, 1901 Fifth street.

Group Five will meet with Mrs. C. W. Hughes at her home, 2147 Fifth street.

Group Six meets at the home of Mrs. C. T. Baker, 2445 Lake Shore drive.

Group Seven will meet at Mrs. M. L. Ball's home, 346 Marshall avenue.

Group Eight will meet at Mrs. L. P. Baker's home, 2107 Procter street.

The Ladies Aid of Trinity Lutheran Church will meet at the home of Mrs. G. Domaschk, 2107 Sixth street, 2 o'clock.

The Woman's Auxiliary of the First Baptist church will meet in circle formations as follows:

Circle One will meet at the home of Mrs. C. W. Culp, 1112 Fifth street, 2:30 o'clock.

Mrs. S. M. Humphrey will entertain Circle Two at her home, 538 Tenth street.

Mrs. S. L. White will be hostess to Circle Three at her home, 1220 Procter street, 3 o'clock.

Circle Four will meet at the home of Mrs. L. E. Nantz, 1729 Ninth street, 2:30 o'clock.

Circle Five meets at Mrs. M. E. Mellons home, 1248 Fifth street, 2:30 o'clock.

Circle Six meets at the home of Mrs. V. L. Trusty, 2431 Seventh street, 2:30 o'clock.

Circle Seven meets at Mrs. Muller's home, 2047 Eighth street, 2:30 o'clock.

Circle Eight meets at the home of Mrs. Chasson at her home on Eighth street.

Mrs. L. B. Abney assisted by Mrs. R. E. Camp, Mrs. Charles Bushe, Mrs. H. C. Wutherich will entertain the Home Missionary Society of the First M. P. Church at her home, 923 Fifth street, 2:30 o'clock.

Miss Vivian Muntz will be hostess to the Thursday Afternoon Sewing Club at her home, 1128 Eleventh street.

Mrs. Rupert Theobalt will entertain the Rosarian Bridge Club at her home, 1707 Lake Shore drive, 8 o'clock.

Mrs. T. W. Young will entertain the

SIGRID ONEGIN



American Girls Are Fairest Says Swedish Operatic Song Bird

American women are the most beautiful and the most beautifully dowed of any in the world thinks Sigrid Onegin, the Swedish singer, who has appeared in all the European capitals before making her debut this season.

"If ever I should be reincarnated," she says, "I want to be an American—a smart, chic New Yorker."

It's a mistaken notion Miss Onegin adds "that musical taste in the United States has not yet the development it has reached in the old world.

"Fundamentally," she maintains, "Americans have sound musical appreciation. They are diverted easily and like anything that amuses them temporarily, but instinctively and inevitably they come back to that which really is good."

chon of the First Baptist church at her home, 816 Procter street 7:30 o'clock.

Mrs. W. P. Sylvester will be hostess to the Beta Division of the First Christian church at her home, 1311 Fifth street 2:30 o'clock.

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INTERESTING indeed to a host of friends in the city was the wedding of Miss Mary Lee daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lee, and Mr. E. A. House which took place last evening at St. Mary's rectory, with service read by Rev. Father A. G. Gerber.

The bride was a charming young woman of pleasing personality, was attractively attired in a lovely frock of navy blue with smart hat and accessories in harmony. Attending the attractive bride as maid of honor was Miss Inez Sohn. Mr. Archer Jackson served as best man.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parent Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lee 545 Stowell boulevard. The home was in beautiful floral adornment for this charming occasion, lovely pink roses clustered in vases and baskets about the rooms, showing in pretty relief against the background of green foliage. A dainty refreshment service was offered during the evening.

Attending the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. J. A. House, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Guy O. Johnson Mr. and Mrs. John T. Merritt, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Barras, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Landry, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Brown Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Lerdon, Misses Alma House, Inez Lehn Catherine Lee, and Claret Johnson; Messrs. Archer Johnson and Patrick Lee, and Mrs. Dewey Best.

Mr. and Mrs. House are temporarily at home to their friends at the home of the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. House, 704 Eleventh street.

Mr. House has a host of friends among the younger set to whom her marriage comes as an agreeable surprise. She was a popular member of the 1922 graduating class of the Port Arthur High School, and has been in the employe of the Gulf Refining company several months. Mr. House is an employe of the Gulf Refining company.

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MRS. M. E. MCGUIRE LEFT FOR her home in Julesburg, Colorado, this morning, after an extended visit here with her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. S. McGuire of 2301 Procter street.

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MR. AND MRS. R. S. TATUM of 1610 Tenth street announce the arrival of a twelve and one-half pound girl at their home yesterday morning.

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THE ALTAR SOCIETY OF ST. Mary's Catholic church will meet tomorrow afternoon at the Knights of Columbus hall at 2:30 o'clock, at which time plans for the Valentine Card party will be perfected. Other important business will be discussed at this session and it is hoped that all members will be present. Following the business session, Mrs. A. A. Gunter and Mrs. R. S. Lapham will serve refreshments.

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THE WEDDING OF MISS ALice James and Mr. Elmer Thomas Birchfield was solemnized Sunday morning at 9:45 o'clock at the home of the officiating minister, Rev. C. W. Culp, 1112 Fifth street.

The wedding was a quiet affair, the only attendants of the young couple being Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Brown. Immediately after the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Birchfield left for Beaumont, where they stopped at the Crosby Hotel for a few days. They are now at home to their friends at 831 Lake Shore drive.

Mrs. Birchfield is the daughter of Mrs. S. Brown of Silsbee and has been in the employe of the Western Union here several months. Mr. Birchfield is a radio operator at the local radio station.

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MISS HELEN GRAY OF BEAUmont is visiting with her sister, Mrs. E. E. Weller of 2530 Procter street.

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PORT ARTHUR SOCIETY IS interested in the senior recital of Miss Marie L. LeMaster, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. LeMaster of 325 DeQueen boulevard, which will be given in St. Louis, Mo. on Friday evening.

Cards have been received by a host of friends here, which read:

"The Morse School of Expression invites you to be present at the Senior Recital of Marie E. LeMaster on Friday evening, February 9, 1923, at half past eight o'clock, Toy Theater, Musical Art Building."

Miss LeMaster will appear in an interpretive recital of Allan Langdon Martin's well known play, "Smilin' Through" in three acts.

The scenes will be laid on the lawn of the Carteret estate, and the following cast of characters will be interpreted by Miss LeMaster.

John Catteret—A wealthy bachelor.

Dr. Owen Harding—John's closest friend.

Ellen—The housekeper.

Kathleen Dungannon — John's niece.

Willie Ainley—The suitor for Kathleen's hand.

Kenneth Wayne—Kathleen's sweetheart.

Jeremiah Wayne — Kenneth's father.

Moonyeen Clare—John's sweetheart and Kathleen's aunt.

Several vocal selection will be rendered between the acts by Miss Lemaster's uncle, William A. LeMaster. Incidental violin music will be rendered with piano accompaniment by Miss Marguerite Reid.

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MRS. CARL ZAPF WILL ENtertain the members of the Wednesday Bridge Club and then husbands with a delightful affair this evening at her home, 2847 Fourth street, at 7:30 o'clock.

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MRS. J. S. SHELTON AND Miss Una McCrame of 1741 Eighth street leave tomorrow for a short visit with friends and relatives in Fort Worth and Dallas. En route home they will spend a few days with friends in Houston.

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THE LADIES' AID OF THE Congregational church will meet tomorrow afternoon with Mrs. S. R. Higaboom at her home, 1531 Fifth street, at 2:30 o'clock.

The meeting was scheduled to be held at the home of Mrs. C. E. Hoag, but on account of illness in the Hoag family the meeting place was changed.

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THE MEMBERS OF CIRCLE Nine of the Woman's Auxiliary of the First Baptist church met in all day session yesterday at the home of Mrs. C. E. Earhart in the Model addition.

During both the morning and afternoon hours the women quilted, and at noon a most delectable luncheon was served in the old-fashioned family style. At a short business session Mrs. McConnico was accepted as a new member of the Circle.

Those present at the all day session were Mrs. Joe Corthell, Mrs. C. H. Beard, Mrs. S. J. Whitehead, Mrs. A. Coley, Mrs. McConnico, Mrs. G. Dahon, Mrs. J. W. Keith, Mrs. T. B. Furlow, Mrs. J. A. Turner, Mrs. John Warren, Mrs. L. B. Marcesells, and Mrs. C. E. Earhart.

No meeting of the Circle will be held on Thursday afternoon of next week, but all the Circles will meet on Friday on account of the "Wage Earners Banquet" at the First M. P. Church, which will be served by the Woman's Auxiliary.

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THE DAY NURSERY BOARD will meet in an important session Friday morning at the Chamber of Commerce rooms at 10 o'clock. All members of the board are urged to be present.

MRS. J. E. BIGGENS CHARMingly entertained the members of the Tuesday Bridge club yesterday afternoon at her home, 3021 Procter street.

In the spirited games which featured the afternoon hours, Mrs. W. B. Johnson was awarded the club prize, and Mrs. H. E. Johnson of Oklahoma received the guest favor. A lovely refreshment service was offered at the close of the games.

Guests for the afternoon included Mrs. Richard Allis, Mrs. H. E. Johnson, Mrs. A. E. Fontenot, Mrs. Pat Reed, Mrs. D. P. Sheck, Mrs. John W. Tryon, Mrs. Herbert Henderson, Mrs. M. Swearingen, Mrs. A. R. Autrey, Mrs. G. L. Prichard, Mrs. L. L. Alshire, Mrs. W. B. Johnson, Mrs. G. N. Bliss, and Mrs. Frank D. Mabry.

Mrs. G. N. Bliss will entertain the club next week at both a morning and afternoon hospitality at her home on North Procter.

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HOLDING A PROMINENT place on the week's social calendar is the "Silver Tea," which will be given tomorrow afternoon by St. George's Episcopal Guild at the home of Mrs. Frank Y. Low, 1117 Lake Shore drive. The hours of this delightful affair will be from 3 to 6 o'clock.

An attractive entertaining program has been arranged by Mrs. M. J. Pamton and her committee for the afternoon hours. The following members will be rendered:

Violin solo—Mrs. Sam Simon.

Solo, Selected—Mrs. J. E. Grammier.

Duet—Selected—Mrs. R. L. Drake and Mrs. Fred P. Dodge.

Vocal solo—Miss Hortense Smith.

Vocal selection — Miss Blanche Mosse.

Mrs. T. T. Fitzgerald and Mrs. L. B. Franck will pour tea, and assisting in the dining room will be Mrs. Sydney Collin, Mrs. S. I. Dunn, and Mrs. Robert E. Latimer.

A cordial invitation is extended to all members of the Guild, the women of St. George's church, and their friends to attend this delightful affair.

AN OUTSTANDING EVENT on the social calendar for the week is the dance at the Country Club on Friday evening, which will be given by the former Harbor Club members.

A delightful program of music will be furnished for the dancers by Mrs. Tillie Moak's orchestra of Beaumont. In charge of this entertainment is the committee, composed of Frank Robertson, Guy Hooker and Vernon Berry, who are planning to make this one of the most brilliant affairs of the season.

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MRS. A. P. GRAHAM WAS cordial hostess to the Women's Self Improvement Club yesterday afternoon at her home, 2521 Fourth street.

Roll call was responded to with current events, and after a short business session Mrs. Harold A. Winter conducted an interesting lesson on "American Indian Traditions." The discussion on the topics of interest was led by Mrs. S. E. Schmink.

Present on Tuesday were Mrs. Emmet Landes, Mrs. A. L. Humphreys, Mrs. H. K. Goodwin, Mrs. T. W. Hughes, Mrs. Harold A. Winter, Mrs. C. T. Gunn, Mrs. P. S. DeWitt, Mrs. Ada Smith, Mrs. J. M. Latham, Mrs. S. E. Schmink and Mrs. A. P. Graham.

Mrs. S. E. Schmink will entertain the club next week at the monthly social at her home, 1201 Fifth street.

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THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY of the Central Baptist church enjoyed a delightful "spend-the-day-party" yesterday at the home of Mrs. F. A. Dyer, 2412 Sixth street.

At noon the women enjoyed an old fashioned dinner, having as their guests, Rev. and Mrs. T. E. Cannedy and B. H. Wiley. During the afternoon hours Mrs. Charles Stewart of Port Neches, social service chairman of the Southeast Association, spoke to the women on her work, and assisted the women in making plans for social service work here during the coming months. A committee, composed of Mrs. I. W. Townsend, Mrs. B. H. Wiley and Mrs. D. W. Smith, was appointed to draft a budget for the auxiliary for the coming year.

Enjoying yesterdays' session were Mrs. I. W. Townsend, Mrs. S. R. Nicks, Mrs. D. W. Smith, Mrs. J. A. Ligon, Mrs. B. H. Wiley, Mrs. I. O. Persons, Mrs. R. L. Thorn, Mrs. B. F. Day, Mrs. Charles Stewart and Mrs. F. A. Dyer.

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MR. AND MRS. JOHN NOACK were delightfully surprised last evening by a number of their friends of the Trinity Lutheran church at their home, 809 Fifth street, the occasion being their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary.

The Ladies Aid, who sponsored this enjoyable surprise, presented Mr. and Mrs. Noack with a handsome silver chest. At the close of a pleasant evening of social conversation and contests, delicious refreshments of sandwiches, cake and coffee were served.

Enjoying this occasion in addition to Mr. and Mrs. Noack were Rev. and Mrs. F. W. Siebelitz, Mr. and Mrs. John Bernhardt, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hoffman, Mr. and Mrs. William Kamprath, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wattmerhsaus, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Drungel, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Rebsch, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Wukasch, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Radusch, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gaertner, Mr. and Mrs. Iwar Oom, Mr. and Mrs. G. Domaschk, Mrs. C. R. Rode, Sr.; Misses Clara Wukasch, Thelma Siebelitz, Thekla Siebelitz, Laura Gaertner, Clar Radusch, Lydia Noack, Dorothy Rebsch and Bertha Cain, Messrs. Alvin Wukasch, Oswald Wukasch, Carl Gaertner, Fred Siebelitz, Carl Rebsch, Paul Rebsch, Earnest Noack, Willie Noack, Arthur Domaschk and Adolf Radusch.

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THE REBEKAHS WILL MEET in regular session this evening at the K. P. hall at 7:30 o'clock. It is hoped that all members will be present.

HEAVY VEGETABLE LOSS

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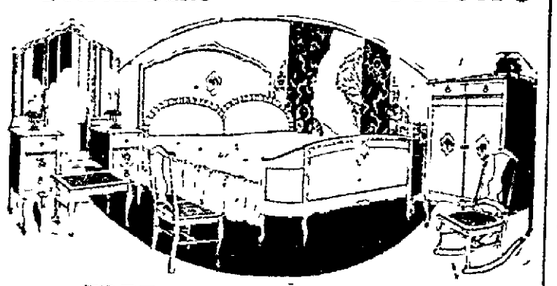
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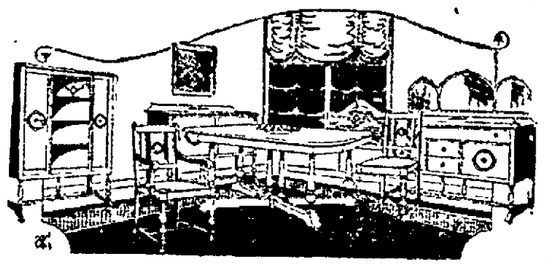
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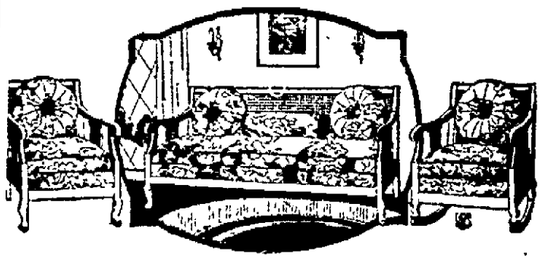
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It's True That a Band of Ordinary Hoboes Makes a Bum Track Team.

Good Gulf Basketeers Take Spaniard's Scalp

Uncanny Speed Of Visiting Club And Scientific Generalship Of Locals Features Port Arthur's First International Clash.

By "Bill" ARCHER

THE first international basketball clash ever played in Port Arthur goes to the credit of the Good Gulf five.

Playing a sterling game, "Todda" Forbes' proteges swamped the visiting Mexico City club in the early stages of their clash last night at Franklin gym, and won the issue 34 to 12.

The game was played before a packed house—the largest and most appreciative audience that has witnessed a basketball tilt here this season.

Mexico Fights Hard

The Spanish contingent put up a valiant fight. They never ceased to scrap during the game, and were battling at the end just as they had entered the field. The game was easily the best display of scientific playing and spirit the Gulfers have scheduled for Port Arthurians to witness.

The generalship of the visitors is to be commended. Under the guidance of their coach, Underwood, who held an enviable position at forward and whose manipulation of the oval was worthy, the Mexico club exhibited a class of basketball purely typical of the eastern training of their mentor.

A New Team

It was a different team from which invaded Beaumont for a game Monday night against a picked crew.

The team that rushed into the Good Gulf club here last night was a slashing, plunging fighting five that didn't know defeat. But they took their loss clean-fashioned like the sportsmen they are.

The Good Gulfers started a series of passes on the court in the earlier stages of play that the Spaniards never checked. "Kirk" Kuykendall shot the first goal for the locals after the first three minutes as a result of some of the most rapid-fire passes and dribble the Gulfers have exhibited here.

De la Garza, Star

Following on his heels, De la Garza, left guard of the visitors, shot a stellar goal from mid-field that brought cheering from the crowd. And then the battle settled down for several minutes to a tough clash, while both sides attempted to push the ball within scoring distance.

The boys from Mexico did not hold the ball long. It left their hands as rapidly as they touched it, and they passed with an uncanny accuracy.

"Kirk" Leads Play

The sensational shooting of Kuykendall stood out during the first half of the game as the most preeminent factor of play, and through it the Gulfers gained a lead that won for them.

Gulf Leads First Half

The score stood 22 to 6 at the end of the period, and the Mexicans in the last half, as in the first, were able to pile up only six more points for their total score of 12.

Coach Underwood attempted many long shots for the basket, several of which hung just around the edge of the goal to drop outside. But the speedy mentor of the Southern Republic club was not as accurate with the pill last night as he had been in Beaumont.

Many Stars Shine

His playing, coupled with the work of De la Garza, Martinez and Bracaumentes stood out in the limelight for the Spaniards, while the goal shooting of Kuykendall and the playing of Prafka, Atkins, Smith and Petty drew them into the stellar row for the locals.

Landon and Ridley who were turned loose on the field during the final period, exhibited some excellent spirit.

The Spaniards left here last night for Houston and other Texas cities on their tour of the south, after which they will return to Mexico City. Their defeat at the hands of the Good Gulf club is the first that has been meted out to them on their tour.

Lineups.

Gulf (34)	Position	(12) Mexico
Herrera	rf	(c) Underwood
Prafka	lf	Bracaumentes
Kuykendall (c)	c	Martinez
Atkins	rg	Cordova
Smith	lg	De la Garza

Scoring

Gulf—Herrera 2 foul goals, 2 field goals; Prafka 2 field goals; Kuykendall 7 field goals; Smith 2 field goals; Petty 2 field goals; Kelly 1 field goal. Total 34.

Mexico—Underwood 2 field goals, 2 foul goals; Baracaumentes 1 field goal; Martinez 1 field goal; De la Garza 2 field goals. Total 12.

Personal fouls—On Gulf 1; on Mexico 1.

Substitutions

Gulf—Petty for Prafka; Kelly for Petty; Prafka for Kuykendall; Ridley for Atkins; Landon for Smith; Petty for Kelly.

Referee—Smith (Nebraska).

Time—20-20.

ON TO HIS CUE

DENVER, Feb. 7.—Ralph Greenleaf showed Denver billiard enthusiasts just why he is pocket billiard champion. He demonstrated that to the satisfaction of one and all when he defeated "Tommy" Hueston in two matches here.

He won the first match, 150 to 8, and the second game, 150 to 43. Furthermore the champion had an unfinished run of 126 for the evening.

The champion, in his exhibition matches, showed the accuracy and control he has over

ON THE FIRING LINE

With "TAB"

The game between the Gulfers and the Spaniards was one of the best ever staged in Port Arthur.

In the opinion of local fans, it was a hard fight and fastly played, but beautifully devoid of any dirty stuff.

It's a pity the lady from Beaumont who predicted the Spaniards would receive "roughneck" treatment here didn't see the game last night. She would have changed her mind.

Mexico's representatives went away satisfied; satisfied they had been beaten; satisfied it was done by a better team; satisfied with the treatment accorded them.

That's the way every opponent Port Arthur has had this season has departed. And it speaks well for the CLEAN sportsmanship of local athletes.

Just as was forecasted on the Firing Line yesterday, the Gulfers won the game. They were due to win, because they had a better club.

"Kirk" Kuykendall was easily the star of the game. He played an unusual role at center and kept a level head when his chances for a goal came.

"Nemo" Herrera couldn't get his shooting arm turned loose, but Smith, "Kirk", Prafka and others did it for him.

Coach Smith's proteges won a sterling victory in Beaumont last night when they defeated Nederland. It puts another rung on their ladder of fame.

The defeat of Silsbee at the hands of Coach Kennedy's team makes the Beaumont five a more formidable opponent for Port Arthur.

It indicates the game here Friday evening will be a warm number. Silsbee, it is recalled, won from Port Arthur, and Port Arthur in turn defeated a club that had scalped Silsbee.

The style of playing here Friday night will be widely different from the kind exhibited in Beaumont. The goal posts are not so close together that guards can shoot tallies from one end of the field to the other.

Sour Lake had the dope all upset in Beaumont last night when South Park took the lads from the lake into camp. It was a Six City contest—and it means a great deal to Port Arthur Hi.

The tilt between the two high schools here Friday evening will be the initial test of their comparative strength for the season. They are on a par thus far.

Both have upset the dope, both are capable of springing surprises. Their clash will undoubtedly be a test of scrapping ability.

WANTS SIOUX CITY

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Feb. 7.—Tom Fairweather, part owner of the Des Moines Western League club, stands willing to take over the Sioux City club, providing he can dispose of his interests in the Des Moines club, President G. K. Belden of the St. Joseph club said upon returning from Des Moines.

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OLYMPIC BERTH LOOMS BRIGHT FOR AMERICANS

Many Athletes Have Chance On Team This Year

NEW YORK, Feb. 7.—With the indoor season half over it has been apparent that tickets for the Olympic session in Paris have been cinched.

The United States went to Antwerp with only six athletes in the bunch who had had previous experience in the Olympic games. They were Dan Ahern, Pat McDonald, Ted Meredith, Fred Murray, Pat Ryan and Mat McGrath.

In three years only a handful of new athletes have been developed. The most outstanding of the athletes who were not on the 1920 team but who no doubt will go to Paris, are Alfred Leconey and Bob McAlister, sprinters, LeRoy Brown, Dartmouth high jumper; Allen Helfrich, middle distance runner, and Gourdin, the world's champion broad jumper.

In another year, a flock of new stars may be developed but it is not probable.

Performances this winter and during the outdoor season next summer will mean everything to the athletes who want to carry the American shield in the Paris games.

Form shown this winter makes it appear certain that the next team will have on it Joie Ray, champion middle distance runner; Jimmy Connelly and Jake Driscoll for the same distances; Loren Murchison, Bog McAllister and Jock Scholz, sprinters; LeRoy Brown, Dick Landon and Johnny Murphy, high jump; Willie Plant, walks; Earl A. Johnson, distance events and Pat McDonald and Matt MacGrath, weights.

While they have not engaged this winter in active competition, it is a bet that Charley Paddock, Brick Muller, Jack Merchant, Bob Legendre, Frank Zuna, Sol Butler, Allen Woodring and Ray Watson will be on the team.

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SMITH'S TEAM CLASHES WITH BEAUMONT HI

Teams Meet Here Friday Night for First Game

With the balance of this week open for training, Coach Smith's high school club will be pushed into condition for the fast Beaumont Hi five which invades the court in Franklin gym here Friday night.

The game is scheduled for 9 o'clock, according to announcements made last night by Coach Smith.

The high school boys have been receiving some excellent instructions on offensive work, and their rapid advance over the opponents they have met thus far is indicative of the kind of team Coach Smith has developed.

Their defeat over the Fast Sour Lake club here last week, and their victory from Nederland last night in Beaumont speaks well of their strength. Sour Lake had conquered Silsbee—the five that drenched the locals, and Nederland had been considered one of the most formidable clubs in the Six-City League.

The game here Friday night is not a league contest, Coach Smith announces, but will give the locals their first game against the "northenders" this year. The following night—Saturday—the two teams will meet on the gymnasium in Beaumont, this game being a league issue in the Six-City organization of which Port Arthur is a member.

The same club which Coach Smith sent in against the Sour Lake boys and the same which faced the Nederland lads in Beaumont last night will be on the floor here Friday night, and big results are expected from them.

Both teams have different types of basketball tactics, and the experience and coaching of the pair is figured to show up in their clash here.

50 MEN OUT

BOULDER, Colo., Feb. 7.—In answer to Head Coach Myron Witham's call for baseball candidates, fifty men have reported at Gamble field. Witham is quarantined at his home because of the diphtheria situation, and Assistant Coach C. C. Johnson had charge of the practice.

Seven letter men are in school. They are Capt. Lou Vidal, Burch, Morris, Mang, Walters, McGovern and Loftus.

Burch, who was the 1922 regular first baseman, is ineligible.

CLAIMS THE TITLE

NEW YORK, Feb. 7.—These are the days of basketball records.

In the west the Vincennes, Ind., team has been attracting much attention in interscholastic circles.

During the last three years the Vincennes team has not been beaten on its home floor and has lost only one game in the last 56 played.

Down east the Passaic, N. J., high school five is the big noise. The Passaic team seems to outclass the high school fives in its section, as it has won 100 straight games.

Intersectional games in football created keen interest in the gridiron sport last year. A number of games were staged, not only by the colleges but the preparatory schools as well.

Why not an intersectional game between Vincennes and Passiac? It would seem from the records of the two clubs that they are entitled to represent the west and east.

Coach Blood of the Passiac team is ready to talk business with any high school team that disputes the right of Passaic to be called the national champs of their class.

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Hockey Star



E. C. Stout has been playing a sensational game at left wing for Princeton's crack hockey team.

OHIO'S STUDENT BODY RESPONDS TO CLASS TILTS

Intramural Athletics Attracts Buckeye School

COLUMBUS, O., Feb. 7.—More students are participating in intramural athletics at Ohio State than at any other school of the Western conference, says Grant P. Ward, manager of intramural athletics at the Buckeye university and chairman of the Big Ten Intramural association.

"A total of 10,505 students were enrolled in the 18 branches of sport during the school year of 1921-22," says Ward. "A greater number is indicated by the enrollments so far for the present year.

According to conference reports the increase of participants amounted to 1180 in 1921-22 over the figures of the preceding year represents more than the total number of students in the intramural departments of either the University of Illinois or the University of Michigan in 1920-21. Michigan with its nineteen branches of intramural sport, ranks next to Ohio in the size of its department. Illinois ranks third.

FIGHT DRAW

HOT SPRINGS, Ark., Feb. 7.—Frank C. Adams, Arkansas City, Kansas, and Red Herring of Louisville, Ky., lightweights, fought a ten round draw here last night.

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'DANGER' TEAM ALL RECRUITED FROM MINORS

Personnel of Club Constitutes Strong Lineup

Selling and trading ball players has grown to be quite a business. Especially is this true in the major leagues, where many purchases and exchanges annually take place between the various teams.

Indeed, the sale and barter list is a long one, and for the most part is used quite frequently by all clubs in an effort to bolster their outfits.

However, in the personnel of the two big circuits last season there was one club whose playing roster showed but two players who were obtained by such deals. The club in question was the Detroit Tigers, which, outside of George Cutshaw, purchased from Pittsburg, and Roy Moore, got from the Athletics late in the campaign, didn't have a man but what came to the outfit direct from the minors.

Look over the list: Bassler, Woodall and Manion, catchers; Dauss, Oldham, Ehmke, Pillette, Johnson, Cole, Stoner, Stewart and Olson, pitchers; Blue, first base; Clark, second base; Rigney, shortstop; Jones and Haney, third base; Cobb, Heilmann, Veach, Flagstead and Fothergill, outfielders. Surely a most unique record.

On the other hand consider the layout of the New York Yankees, which club has obtained practically all of its players on "buys or trades." There are McNally, Baker, Dugan, Scott, Witt, Ruth, Smith, Schang, Bush, Hoyt, Jones, Shawkey, Mays, and others.

Recently, Cobb, in an effort to plug up the hole at second and bolster his pitching staff, acquired Derrill Pratt and "Rip" Collins from Boston.

WIN OVER SILSBEE

BEAUMONT, Texas, Feb. 7.—Coach Kennedy's passers downed Silsbee last night in their scheduled game in the high school league with a 21-15 victory brilliantly achieved.

The visiting lads fought all the way, but systematic passing and excellent goal shooting by the Purple paved the way to a near victory.

Hebert and Cooke stood out as two offensive stars while the other members of the squad were hardly less brilliant.

THANK SON EARL

NEWARK, N. J., Feb. 7.—Connie Mack can thank his son Earl, for acquiring the services of Eddie Rommel, the "pitching sensation" of the American League last year.

While it isn't generally known before, Rommel was once the property of the New York Giants and was given the thumbs by John McGraw.

Rommel, in 1918, had a pretty good year with Newark in the International League. He was purchased by the Giants in an optional deal.

Before the opening of the 1919 season the deal was called off and Rommel returned to Newark.

Earl Mack, son of Connie, managed Newark that year. He confided to his dad that Rommel was the best little youngster in the circuit.

On the recommendation of his son, Connie bought Rommel and has developed him into one of the best pitchers in the majors.

SPEAKER BANKS ON UHLE

Cleveland is banking on George Uhle to be a consistent winner the coming season.

Uhle is the youngster who came to the big league from the sandlots and made good. Major league records reveal few such cases.

From the very outset of his career Uhle gave great promise, but has been a trifle late in arriving. Tris Speaker, manager of the Indians, is confident Uhle has finally come into his own.

"My pitching this year must be built around Uhle and Coveleskie. Uhle should be a consistent winner and ought to turn in 20 victories," says Speaker.

"While I realize that Coveleskie is a veteran and cannot go on forever, still it seems he should be good for several more years. Those two boys are my pitching aces with emphasis on Uhle."

Golfers Tee-Off in Beaumont Tournament

BEAUMONT, Texas, Feb. 7.—The day for the southeast Texas 36 hole open golf tourney dawned clear and cool here this morning—the proper kind of weather that should result in good cards being turned in.

The open shots were scheduled to start at 9 o'clock with Jim Farrell, Quaker Ridge, and Carl Anderson, Buffalo, leading off. There will follow them at regular intervals some twenty-odd pairs.

A big crowd is reported on hand at the Country Club house, insuring a large gallery for the "big" ones.

LOSES AGAIN!

NEW YORK, Feb. 7.—When Bob McAllister, the sprinting New York cop, lost his race in the 60 yard dash at the Millrose games in New York he also lost his independence.

Bob's sweetie, Miss Mabel Smith sat among the 10,000 cheering athletic fans. After the race he asked her to marry him. She said she would. They are to be married after his return from the 1924 Olympic games in Paris.

BEATS COWBOY

YOUNGSTOWN, Ohio, Feb. 7.—In a toe to toe slugfest from the first to the twelfth stanza, Jimmy Jones, local welterweight and aspirant for the crown worn by Mickey Walker, won the popular verdict over Cowboy Padgett, Colorado slugger. Jones had the cowboy wobbly several times but just missed putting over the button punch.

It was the hardest fight either Jones or Padgett ever had and the best local fans have ever seen here. In the other bouts Joe Ryan of Pittsburg shaded Walter O'Keefe of Alliance, Kid Neny of Pittsburg had an edge on Dude Murphy of Girard.

UPSET THE DOPE

BEAUMONT, Feb. 7.—The biggest upset of the present basketball season was reeled off last night at the Y. M. C. A. when Coach Cleveland's South Park five downed the Sour Lake team which seemed to have usurped first place in the race for the Enterprise trophy.

The close of the second half found the two clubs in a tie, 12-12, but an extra five minute period enabled the Parkers to loop five points, while the Sour Lake lads fell one point short of that number.

LOCAL PLAYERS WINNERS OVER NEDERLAND HI

Smith's Proteges Add More Laurels to Crown

BY "TAB"

Port Arthur's high school contingent added more laurels to their basketball crown last night when they carried the fast Nederland five to a quick defeat, 22 to 11. The game was staged on the Y gymnasium at Beaumont.

Minus their coach, L. O. Smith, who was engaged in Port Arthur refereeing the clash between the Good Gulf and the Mexico City five, the Port Arthur boys exhibited a stellar type of basketball that left the Nederland club with victory in the Six-City League still unknown.

Culp's shooting for the locals featured the play, a total of six field goals resulting from his accurate manipulation of the ball having been looped for him. The tall center used his height to advantage and push his way through his opponents with such speed that his playing became uncanny.

McNeil of the Nederland contingent did the scoring stunt for his teammates, counting 10 points of their total 11.

The locals placed 10 men on the field during the game and their tutelage at the hands of Coach Smith was plainly in evidence.

Pt. Arthur (22)	Pos.	Nederland (11)
Carothers	forward	McNeil
Sullivan	forward	Duke
Culp	center	Morgan
Butand	guard	Wagner
Hyde	guard	Doornbos

Substitutions: Port Arthur—Crowleghesus, Lavingston, Prafke, Seawlborn. Nederland: Ketchem, Burnfein. Field goals: Carothers 2, Sullivan 2, Culp 6, McNeil 4, Duke 1, Burnfein 1. Foul goals: Hyde 2, McNeil 2. Personal fouls: Port Arthur 2, Nederland 2.

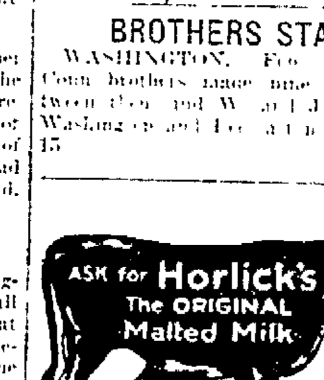
BEATS KRAHN

CLEVELAND, Feb. 7.—Doc Smallwood came into his own at Judd's roller rink. The champion runner beat Eddie Krahn by three laps. Krahn racing two and three-fourth miles to Doc's mile and a half. Doc's time was 7.58 2-5.

Bud Rafferty copped the half mile event while Bobby Hutson again took the ladies' race. In the two-mile scratch event for pros Midge Reef won, Jack Woodworth finished second and Cliff Howard third.

BROTHERS STAR

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—The Conn brothers made nine goals between them and W. and J. defeated Washington and Lee at night, 27 to 15.



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San Tirso, (Br.), 3,951, from Tampico, to Gulf Refining company.

Winifred, 1,520, from Galveston, to Gulf Refining company.

Gulfqueen, 1,904, from Philadelphia, to Gulf Refining company.

Sch. Elsie B.—in charge of master.

Sch. Marie Thompson, to Orange.

SAILED FEB. 7

Sch. W. J. Patterson, 569, Sparks and Sparks, for Tampa.

Veni, (Nor.), 1,778, Sydney C. Collin, for Denmark.

Trivia, (Br.), 2,836, Sydney C. Collin, for Holland and Norway.

Amalthus, (Br.), 3,460, Sydney C. Collin, for Southampton.

Victorious, 1,752, Lykes Agency, for Galveston to finish loading for Far East.

Gulfstar, 5,316, Gulf Refining company, for Philadelphia.

India Arrow, 5,176, Magnolia Petroleum company, from Beaumont for Sabine.

IN PORT ARTHUR

Birkenhead, 4,297, Gulf company.

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Sch. Elsie B.—in charge of master.

Titlis, (Spanish), 1,815, Texas Company.

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At Beaumont

Colorado Springs, 5,347, Lykes Brothers.

At Orange

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Sch. Marie Thompson.

Kratos, (Swed.), 2,198, Standard Export company.

At Sabine

India Arrow, 5,176, Magnolia Petroleum company.

PASSED SAND KEY

SAND KEY, Fla., Feb. 6.—Passed west bound 5th, El Estero, Westhobourne, Duquesne, Socony, Edward L. Doheny; 6th, West Chestae, El Dohony III, Sumner Q. Brown, Danzig, Gedania.

POSTPONE CONSIDERATION

AUSTIN, Texas, Feb. 7.—House bill by Representative Sweet to make the laws regulating private employment agencies more stringent, was postponed by the senate today until Friday at 11 a. m. A motion to postpone the bill indefinitely lost, 11 to 6.

MARKETS

NEW YORK, Feb. 7.—Price movements in today's stock market session furnished further confirmation of the reliable character of the bull tip which the market gave on itself when the industrial average crossed par simultaneously with an advance in the rail compilation to above 87. New highs on the current upswing were reached by Studebaker, Chandler, Baldwin, American Locomotive, American Sugar, American Can and many other industrial leaders while the search for issues whose increased earning possibilities have not already been exploited was rewarded by sharp advances in numerous specialties. Among these were Eastman Kodak, American Express, Lima Locomotive, Consolidated Textile, the Ann Arbor issues, Brooklyn Union Gas and North American.

In view of the abrupt nature of the rise during the last four days, there was no occasion for surprise over the irregularity created by profit taking in the afternoon.

The market closed irregular.

Closing prices:
U. S. Steel 106¾, off ⅜.
Republic Iron and Steel 51¾, up 2.
Baldwin 139¼, off ½.
American Locomotive 126, up ⅛.
Pan-American 92¾, up ⅜.
Texas Company 48⅞, off ⅜.
Studebaker 120⅜, off.
U. S. Rubber 60¼, up ⅛.
Cuba Cane pfd. 47⅞, up 15.
American Can 88⅜, off ⅛.
Westinghouse 62⅜, off ⅛.
Anaconda 48¾, up ⅛.
Reading 80, off ⅛.
Southern Pacific 93, off 1.
Great Northern, pfd. 76⅞, off ⅛.

Wall Street today was not greatly concerned over departure of the Turks from Lausanne. Ismet Pasha left the way open for resumption of negotiations if the allies desired and cable advices before the opening of the market said the British were prepared to send another delegation to the near east conference if the Turks have assurances that an agreement could be reached.

Sterling's movement in the early dealings reflecting no misgivings over the European outlook and stocks concentrated on the unmistakable evidence furnished in the previous sessions that the market had returned to the aggressive phases of the bull swing. Industrial leaders started at the best levels on the present uprush while rails were also in active demand.

Open prices on the Stock Exchange today include:
Studebaker 121.
General Motors 14, up ⅛.
California Petroleum 80¼, up 2.
U. S. Steel 107⅛, up ⅛.
Southern Railway 31¾, up ⅛.
Pan-American Petroleum 92⅞, up ⅛.
C. and O. 75¾.
Crucible 76¾.
Southern Pacific 92⅞, off ⅛.
Pan-American B 87.
Sinclair 34⅛, up ⅛.
Westinghouse 62⅞, off ⅛.
Baldwin 138¼, off ⅛.
Chandler 70¼, up ⅛.
Consolidated Gas 69.
American Smelting 62, off ⅛.
New Haven 22¾.

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Victory, 4¾s	100.20

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Feb. 7.—Foreign Exchange opened easy. Sterling 4672. Francs .0624. Lire .0484. Marks .0027 cents.

Foreign Exchange closed steady. Sterling 4672. Francs .0622. Lire .0485. Marks .0027 cents.

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Poultry—Fowl, 21@26c, ducks, 24c, geese 17c, springs 24c, turkeys 25c, roosters 15c.

Potatoes—16 cars.

NEW ORLEANS COTTON

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 7.—The market closed steady.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Mar	28.38	28.49	28.15	28.15
May	28.37	28.37	28.00	28.00
Jul	27.85	27.93	27.56	27.56
Oct	25.02	25.12	24.80	24.80

Spots 28.50, up 12.

NEW YORK COTTON

NEW YORK, Feb. 7.—The market closed steady.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Mar	28.28	28.15	28.11	28.11
May	28.67	28.76	28.41	28.41
Jul	28.05	28.10	27.75	27.75
Oct	25.30	25.37	25.22	25.28

Spots 28.20, down 25.

Man, Wife, Row Over Booze; Both Are Dead

LAWTON, Okla., Feb. 7.—J. D. Lowe, 43, prominent local furniture dealer, and his wife, 38, are dead here today as a result of Mrs. Lowe protesting her husband's possessing a small bottle of whisky, according to officers. Lowe killed his wife and then turned the gun on himself, they said.

M'NARY LOSES

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—President Harding will withdraw his nomination of William G. McNaty to be comptroller of currency, it was understood today following a White House call by Senators Cousens, Capper and McLean.

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TEACH IN SUMMER TERM

CUERO, Texas, Feb. 7—Announcement has been made that Superintendent A. S. Bush of the Cuero schools will again teach history at the summer term of Texas University.

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Port Arthur Chapter No. 250, R. A. M., Thursday, February 8, 1923, 7:30 p. m. Work in Mark Master's degree.
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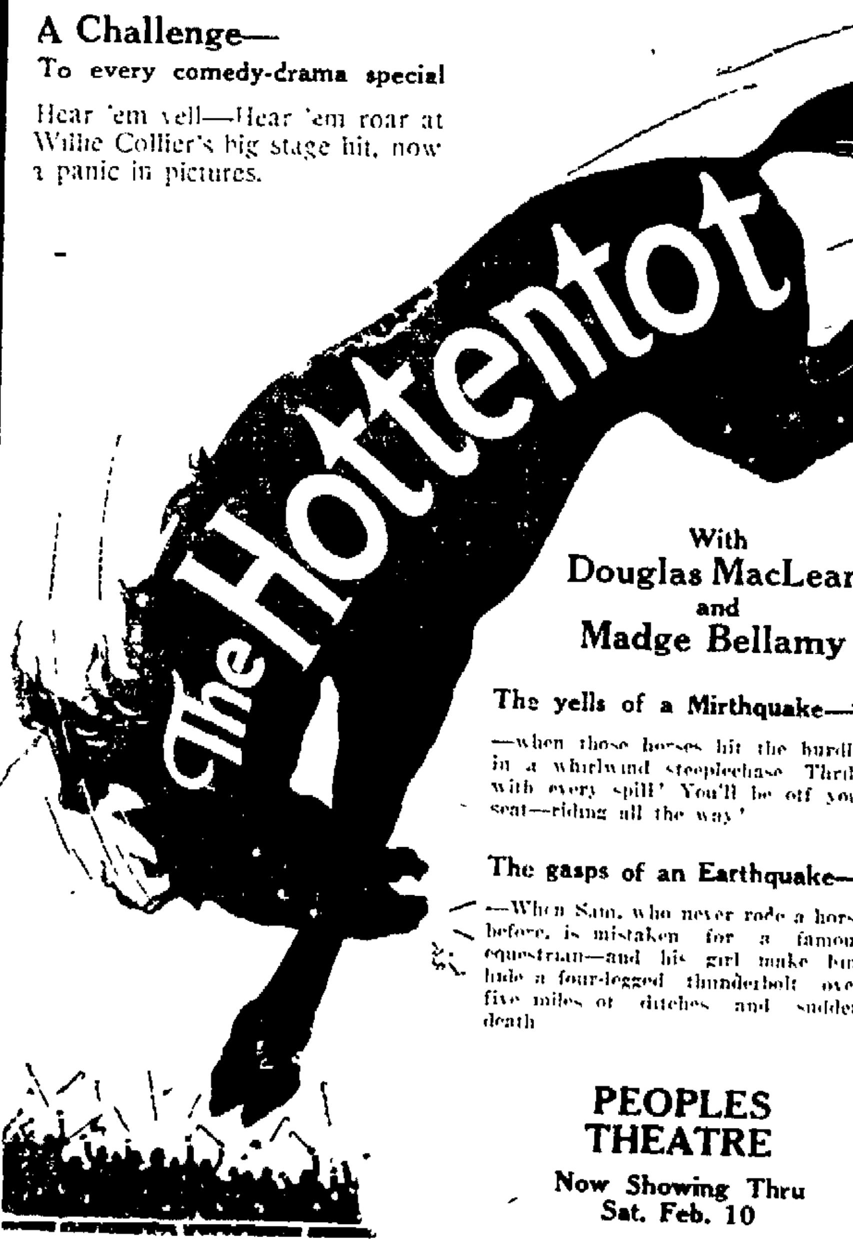
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FURNISHED room and board for two gentlemen. 1637 Procter.

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ROOM and board for gentlemen. 640 Mobile.

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ROOM AND BOARD, 202 Fifth.

Wanted To Rent

WANTED—5 to 8 room house in desirable neighborhood with garage and servants quarters. J. W. F., care News.

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WILL PAY CASH for lot where modern conveniences can be had. State price and number of lot and street in first letter, and your address. W. S., care News.

WE BUY Ice Boxes. C. Howe, 319 Procter. Phone 656.

WANTED—10,000 coat hangers. Culp Tailoring company. Phone 1910.

TEXAS FURNITURE CO. will pay cash for your furniture. 718 Houston Ave. Phone 1328.

WANTED
Port Arthur real estate, vacant or improved. Will pay all cash or part cash and assume your payments. All replies positively must give lot and block number, cash necessary to close sale, amount and time of deferred payments. No inflated values considered. Address Private Party, care Port Arthur News.

For Sale—Real Estate

LOT 50x70, 1000 block, 7th, $1500. Apply 640 Mobile.

FOR SALE—Two nice lots, 1900 block, 7th St. Apply 2009 7th.

FOR SALE—Small grocery store, will exchange for Ford and cash, or will sell for cash. 927 Dallas.

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Commissioner A. A. Poteet Says "It Can't Be Done"

H. W. Baird, Contractor, proposes to build a modern five room house, complete, in one day, ready for painters to finish. All persons interested in building are invited to watch the work as it progresses, inspect the materials, observe the workmanship and satisfy themselves that no skimpy work is being done.

Watch this column for date house is to be erected.

Building financed by the Holland-Texas Hypotheek Bank.

Materials to be used in this building have been purchased from the following firms:

Lumber from Stout Lumber Co.
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House insured by Joe Stroud.

House to be erected at corner of 12th St. and DeQueen Boulevard.

GOOD four room house, 50x140 foot lot, close in on 7th. $3000, good terms.

NICE five room modern house with garage, facing lake, in old Model Addition. $4750, terms.

NICE lot on 10th, in 700 block, will build 5 or 6 room home, on terms.

PRETTY new 5-room modern home, with garage, just completed. Has built in features, light fixtures and three coat finish on inside. Go look at it at 2810 13th, then see me. Good terms.

HAVE some nice lots on North 10th, can build house to suit on terms.

IF you are thinking of buying or building, see me before you do. If I have what you want you will be treated right, if I haven't, no harm done.

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FOR SALE

1½-story 7-room modern house, with 2-room servant house and garage, close in on Sixth St., $1500 cash and the balance like rent.

Two-story 9-room modern house, on Fourth St., $3,000 cash and $40 per month.

Two-story 12-room modern house with furniture, servant house and garage, close in on Fifth St., $5,000 cash.

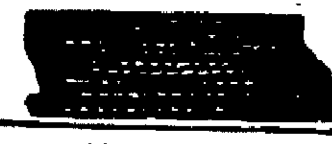
1½-story 7-room modern house, close in on Seventh St., $1,000 cash. This is a good buy.

Two-story 8-room modern house, furnished, north Fifth St., half cash, terms to be made.

We only advertise a small part of our list. Come in and let us locate what you want.

If your roof leaks, call me. I have a 7-year guarantee roof.

GEO. W. GUTE
Mrs. E. Prohl, Saleslady.
229 Austin Ave. Phone 266



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ONE nice lot left on 7th St., Model Addition, Lake Front, $800.
CORNER lot on 10th St., $1050.
NICE lot, 8th, $1550.
FARM land, vacant lots and homes. Most anywhere.
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Real Estate, Rentals and Insurance
Room 10, First Natl., Phone 311

FOR SALE—Best filled-in lot on 7th St., facing lake. Fine, big lot on 9th St. Nice corner on 10th St., and a desirable residential location. 2818 9th.

AUSTIN JONES
Representing Texas Nursery Co.
Phone 651. 1040 Procter.

FOR SALE
Modern home on DeQueen, close to Procter. Price $4750, $650 down, $50 per month.
5-ROOM home on Shreveport, price $2750, $650 down, $30 per month.
BUNGALOW on 8th Street. All modern conveniences. Price $3500, $675 down, $35 per month.
BEST lots in Port Arthur Heights for sale reasonable.
EUBANK & DOWNING
Phone 298

WHAT DID you do about that leak in the roof or broken window pane? Cuss the landlord, of course. Don't let it happen again. Come around and let me show you a nice house that does not leak, at terms and prices you can pay.
5-ROOM house, facing lake, 2000 block, 9th, $4250, $750 cash, $30 a month.
LARGE 8-room modern house, garage, room for 5 cars, close in on 7th. Rents will pay for it. $7500, $2000 cash.
NICE 5-room house, just completed, on 13th St., $3000, $500 cash.
LOTS in all parts of City. Come up and look over my list.
C. G. PARKER
Room 34, Realty Bldg. Phone 2159
TAKE ELEVATOR

NINTH ST., 5-room home, excellent repair, best neighborhood. Sacrifice $2500, $25 month.
SIXTH ST., 5-room, garage, strictly modern, faces lake, $4,000, $500 cash, $35 monthly.
TENTH ST., 5-room modern, garage, forced to sell, $2500, $30 per month.
TWELFTH ST., 5-room modern, piped for gas, everything complete, plenty of trees and roses. $3250. Easy to handle.
THOMAS Blvd., 5-rooms on corner lot, excellent locality, facing lake, $2600. Terms.
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Anything—Anywhere
Vaughan & Silber
Phone 98 430 Austin Ave.

FOR SALE—By owner, 6 rooms and bath, modern. Large sleeping porch. 2718 13th St.

A 7-ROOM and a 6-room and a corner lot on best residence part of 5th street for only $9000. $1500 cash and the balance to suit purchaser. This is one of the best buys in the city.

A THREE-ROOM cottage and corner lot in the Port Arthur Heights on 15th street for $1800, $150 cash and the balance $20 per month.

HERE'S A DANDY three-room home, ½-block from carline for only $2250, $200 cash and the balance $20 per month.

A REAL good home has five large rooms and glassed in sleeping porch and it's on 9th street, faces lake, for only $4250, $250 cash and the balance $40 per month. You won't find another good home like this on 9th street at this price and with as little down as you can buy this home with.

SAY, LISTEN—Here are two houses, a good five room bungalow on 11th street near the Franklin school, has a dandy little rent cottage and the price is only $3600, $800 cash gets it, and the balance $30 per month. You can own this property with a very little out of your own pocket and if you want rent property it will more than finish paying for itself.

HERE'S a big 12 room home on West 16th street for $4000, with a small cash payment and the balance less than rent.

HERE ARE two of the best building lots close to Stilwell boulevard, best residence part of city, for only $2700. The lots are well filled. Will sell on terms if preferred.

HERE'S a three room house on 15th street for $2200, $150 cash and the balance $20 per month.

HERE'S a real good pickup and it has five large rooms, corner lot, the home is a good one and it's near the Franklin school and the price is only $2750, $300 cash and the balance like rent.

HERE'S a little five room home on 12th street, has all modern conveniences. You will like this property. The price is $4500, and terms to suit.

I have a large number of homes to select from. Let me place you in a good home with just a little money.

D. KINARD
THE REAL ESTATE MAN
Phone 318. Office 401 Procter Street

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FOR SALE—Few five-acre tracts, half mile north of Griffing on Beaumont road. T. Doornbos, Nederland.

For Sale or Exchange

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Small crank shaper for small lathe or bench drill, or would sell cheap. See machinist at News office or phone 1770 after work hours.

For Sale—Miscellaneous

FOR SALE—Man's bicycle, $15.00, girl's bicycle, $10.00. Stevens 12-guage pump gun $25.00, all good condition. 621 Marshall Ave. Phone 1573.

THE LIONS CLUB Rose Sale will be held at Strand Theater Friday, Feb. 9, beginning at 9 a. m.

FOR SALE—Two iron beds and springs, oil stove, dresser and washstand. Apply 809 West 16th.

FOR SALE—Bedroom and kitchen furniture. Buyer can rent house. Apply 227 10th.

Old Mattresses Made New.
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Work called for and delivered same day. Phone 357. 349 Sixth St.

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BARGAIN—Owner leaving city. English mahogany bedroom suit and walnut dining room suit. Apply 1001 Stilwell. See Mrs. Worlick.

COAL stove, good as new, cheap. 1028 Nederland Ave.

HAULING shell dirt and fertilizer. Phone 1518.

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Upholstered, refinished. Furn. crated.
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AUTOMOBILES at lowest prices than ever before:
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1920 Buick Roadster......$600
1921 Auburn 6, Roadster, new tires.
1921 Ford Sedan..........$425
SMITH-MAY MOTOR CO.

WILL PAY SPOT CASH FOR YOUR OLD FORD. 1028 NEDERLAND AVE.

FOR SALE cheap, one Ford touring in A-1 condition. Terms reasonable. 2701 10th.

OLDSMOBILE 4, good condition, cheap. Room 19, Merchant Bank Bldg.

MOTORCYCLE—Will trade for bicycle. 1028 Nererland Ave.

CHEVROLET CHEVROLET

CLOSED CAR SPECIALS
Ford Coupe, new paint, new fenders, motor overhauled, good rubber, $295.
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Ford Coupe, like new..........$375
Ford Sedan, new paint, fenders and tires in good shape..........$395
Chevrolet Sedan, new paint and upholstering, motor overhauled.. $485
We have about twenty used open cars of Ford, Chevrolet, Overland, Buick, etc.
Reasonable Terms.
PHILIP INMAN & COMPANY
625-635 Procter. Phone 144

CHEVROLET CHEVROLET

SAVE MONEY
Every part for Fords less than half price. 1025 Nederland Ave. Open evenings.

20 FORD chassies, will trade for anything of value—shot guns, stoves, bicycles, old cars—let's talk it over. Will be there any time Monday. Butler, 1028 Nederland Ave.

DODGE truck, owner leaving town, will make you a good proposition and take your old truck. 1028 Nederland Ave.

FORD touring with starter. Car in first class condition. I will take your old car. 1028 Nederland Ave.

FOR SALE—One Ford ton truck. Apply 719 Procter.



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EXTRA BARGAIN in good milch cows. 2718 13th.

CHICKENS, fryers 30c, hens 25c. 312 9th St.

FOR SALE—11 cows, springers. C. Doornbos, Nederland.

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POULTRY for table or yard. 1925 5th St. Phone 2184.

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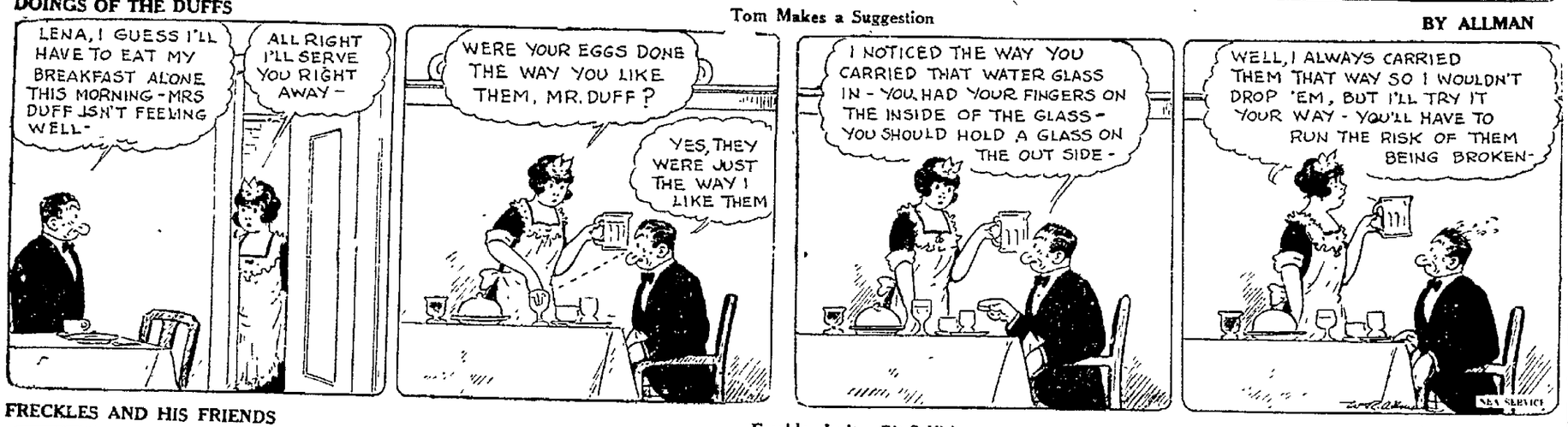
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Tom Makes a Suggestion

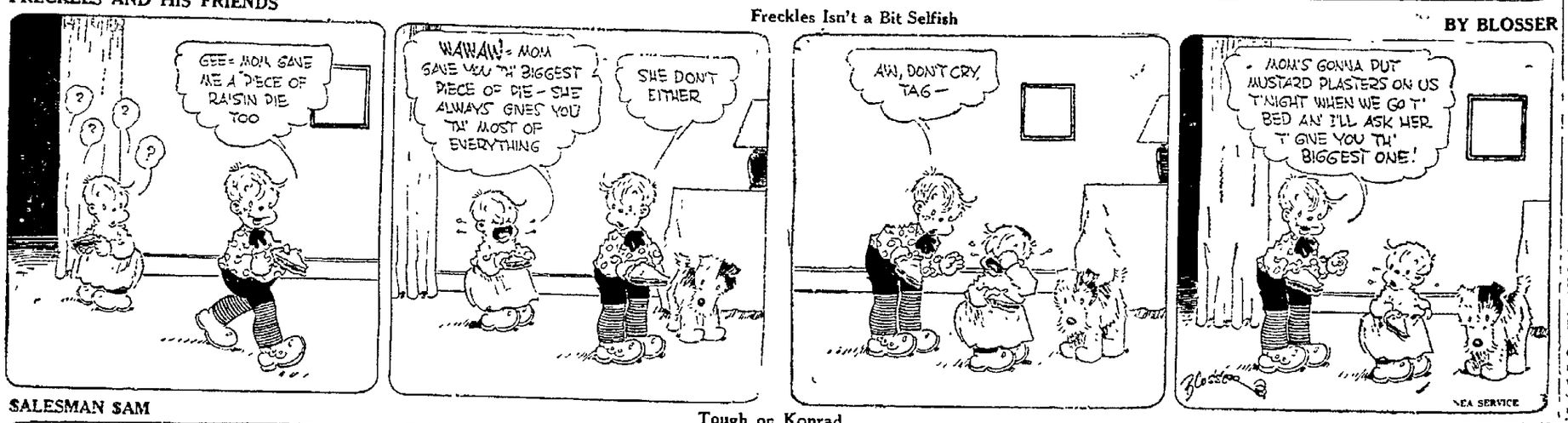
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FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

Freckles Isn't a Bit Selfish

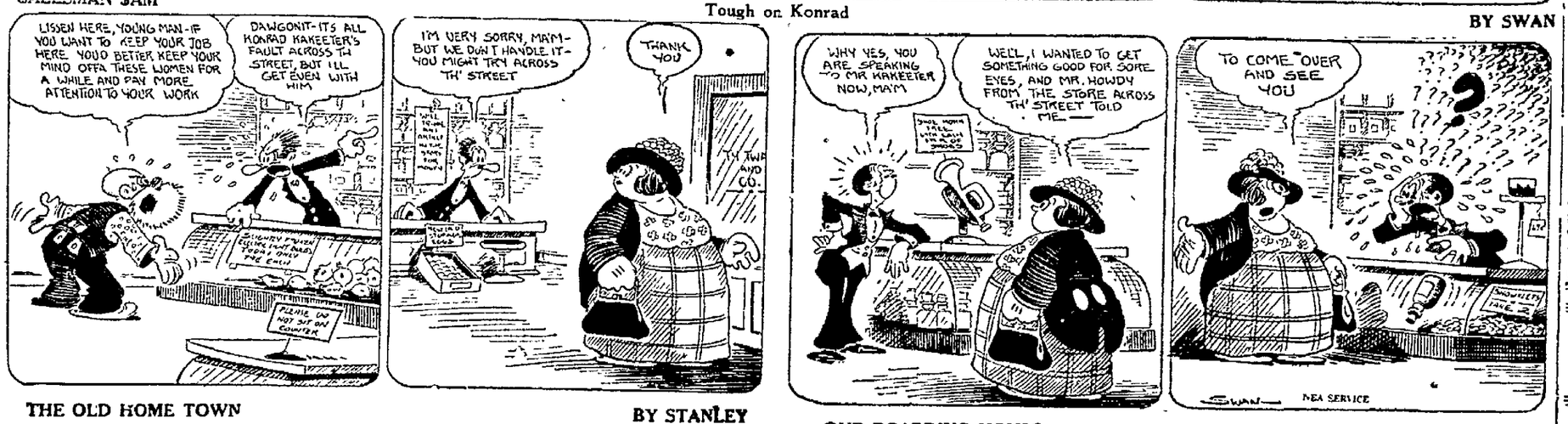
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OUR BOARDING HOUSE

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BY HUGH NUGENT FITZGERALD

News Staff Correspondent at The 38th Legislature

AUSTIN, Texas, Feb. 7.—Senator John Davis of Dallas who did not go to the Magic Valley sent a hot letter to Dr. C. M. Rosser of Dallas on the bill now pending which has the backing of the medical fraternity of the state. Dr. Rosser is a leader of the regulars. Senator Davis had been requested by Dr. Rosser to line up for the new legislation demanded.

"I have your letter of late date in reference to the medical practice act and my attitude in reference thereto," said the lawmaker to the physician. "As you already know, I have in the past uniformly stood with you on this matter. However, as I have grown older both in experience and in years I am coming to a more liberal view on this and similar questions. During my legislative experience, I have witnessed the attempt of so many interests, organizations and individuals to procure legislation, to regulate some particular line of endeavor that I have grown very critical of any further legislation along this line. There is always more or less good to be obtained from regulatory measures, but there is usually more harm incident to such legislation than there is good.

Has An Amendment

I may further say, however, in connection with the medical practice act and my attitude in reference thereto, that personally I prefer to use the services of the regular medical doctor when I am in need of the services of those who hold themselves out as being able to administer to physical ailments. But I am also aware of the fact that notwithstanding my attitude and my preferences, many of our best people and many of our most capable people and many of our most intellectual people prefer the services of other healers than medical doctors.

"I do not feel that I am at liberty to tell Sam P. Cochran of Dallas, for instance, that if he wants to use the services of a Christian Science doctor or a chiropractor that he may not do so. In this situation, I am now of the opinion that when the medical practice act comes up for consideration, I shall support it subject to the following amendment: 'Provided, however, that this act does not affect or apply to the practice of Christian Science and Chiropractic, as now understood and practiced in the state of Texas or as may be hereafter defined by the laws of Texas.'"

A lawmaker is damned if he does and damned if he doesn't. In many of the leading cities and towns of the state, citizens meetings have been held asking the lawmakers to keep down the taxes and cut to the bone. Senator Davis has been deluged with letters. This is the wire he sent to a Dallas newspaper. "During the last weeks I have received numerous letters and telegrams from Dallas Chamber of Commerce and many leading citizens and taxpayers, to support various appropriations, including such projects as statewide topographical surveys, establishment of West Texas A. & M. College, the Shepherd-Towner maternity act. I am now receiving numerous letters and telegrams protesting against any and all tax measures. I would be pleased to have you give some publicity to this situation so that I may have some reasonable expression from my constituents as to how they really think and stand on these questions." There was a mass meeting of business men held at Dallas Saturday. This meeting resolved against increased taxes, creation of additional jobs, and appropriations for unnecessary adjuncts of the state government. Now what is a poor lawmakers to do?

There must be a law of compensation. Senator James H. Woods of the Corsicana district, in order to catch up with his correspondence, declined to go with the Magic Valley pleasure seekers. He did not catch up with his correspondence. He did catch the Digrippe. Now he is sorry that he did not go with the legislature and high state officials.

For State Board

There is a powerful organization known as the Texas Taxation League. Its principal demand is the creation of a state board of equalization. Its principal spokesmen are here, awaiting the return of the lawmakers. They are Judge R. E. Huff of Wichita Falls, Judge I. H. Barney of Fort Worth, John B. Carrington of San Antonio, and W. H. P. McFadden of Beaumont. They are asking legislative action. They insist that there should be a state board of equalization and this is just what Representative Lee Satterwhite and his followers are attempting to put over in the lower house. Its present status is unfinished business, as Satterwhite was making an argument for the bill when on Thursday, the house ordered a recess until Monday morning. There appears to be stubborn opposition on the part of certain members to the passage of the Satterwhite bill. There are 248 county boards of equalization now and that is what is the matter with Texas. Eminent legal minds who are champions of a new constitution, are fearful that an amendment to the organic law will be necessary before it will be possible for an equitable rendition of property and just taxation to all concerned in Texas.

Oil or Schools

Representative Roy C. Coffey of Wise county is responsible for the house bill which has decreed a 3 per cent gross production tax on the crude petroleum produced in Texas. Coffey demanded a 5 per cent tax but the house fixed it at 3 per cent. Now according to the legislative schedule, the senators will tackle the problem Wednesday when the committee on revenue and taxation of that body will give consideration to the measure. According to its author, it will produce $5,000,000 revenue annually and this sum or whatever sum realized will go to the support of the public schools of Texas.

Chinese Bride in Chicago to Wear Gown of Empress

CHICAGO, Feb. 7.—Little Willow Blossom of Chicago's Chinatown is all excitement Thursday night. She will be married to the noble Louis Hong, son of a wealthy Canton tea merchant, amid all the splendors of the Chinese ceremonial.

Josephine Moy, as the Willow Blossom is unpoetically named, is to wear a gown, once the property of the empress of China, of heavy white satin, embroidered with gold and pearls. The skirt and the long train of white silk are also pearl embroidered.

The wedding will mark the beginning of a series of feasts and entertainments for the bride which will continue throughout the moon of the wedding. Many of them will take place at the King Joy Lo restaurant, of which Willow Blossom's father, Moy Wah June, is manager.

Louis is a graduate of Northwestern university and Willow Blossom will receive her diploma from Hyde Park high school Thursday morning. Louis intends to return to China as a Christian minister after his bride completes a course at Northwestern.

ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS

TINGALING'S VALENTINE

By Olive Roberts Burton



Just then they saw the fat fairy landlord returning toward the little postoffice as fast as his short legs would carry him.

"Hi lee, hi lo, hi lee, hi lo, hi—" Suddenly the voice stopped singing and there was silence.

Nancy and Nick and Mr. Stamps, the fairy postman, peeped out of the hickory tree postoffice curiously to see what had happened. "Why, Mr. Tingaling was happy as a circus clown a minute ago when he was here for his mail!" said Nick.

"And he got enough valentines to keep him happy for a month, I should think," declared Nancy.

Mr. Stamps winked one eye. "Mebbe!" he remarked wisely. "And mebbe not. It depends on the valentines."

Just then they saw the fat fairy landlord returning toward the little postoffice as fast as his short legs would carry him. But his face was as long as—as—oh, about as long as a geography lesson, and he looked as gloomy as a London fog, and his little ice cream saucer of a hat, always crooked, was crookeder 'n' it had ever been before.

"Say," he said. "Just listen to this valentine, will you? I'm so mad I believe I'm going to burst!"

And indeed he looked like it.

"Here's what it says." And Mr. Tingaling began:

"'Tinkle bell, tinkle bell, tinkle all the day.
When we hear the doorbell ring
Then we run away—ay,
Mr. Tingaling, fat old Tingaling
Coming for his rent.
He always comes a week too soon.
When we haven't got a cent.

"'Tinkle bell, tinkle bell, tinkle all the night,
The fairy landlord is so fat
He is a wondrous sight,
His roofs all leak, his floors all creak,
He won't fix up a thing,
Oh, the landlord of the deep dark woods,
Is Mr. Tingaling—ling.'

"Why, I'm perfectly insulted," cried Tingaling.

"Oh, fie!" laughed Nancy. "They all love you and you know it, Mr. Tingaling. They're only teasing you. Can't you take a joke!"

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